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DIOCESE OF WEST VIRGINIA.

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CLERGY LIST

DIOCESE OF WEST VIRGINIA

JUNE 1, 1906.

Rt. Rev. Geo. W. Peterkin, D. D. LL. D. Bishop (1878) *Parkersburg, W. Va.*

Rt. Rev. Loyall Gravatt, D. D. (1893) Bishop Coadjutor (1899) ..... *Charles Town, W. Va.*

Rev. Geo. A. Gibbons (1878) Rector of Emmanuel Moorefield and in charge of Missions in Hampshire Co. ..... *Romney, W. Va.*

Rev. Jno. F. Woods, (1878) ..... *St. Louis, Mo.*

Rev. Robert Douglas Roller, D. D. (1879) Rector of St. Johns Ch., Charleston ..... *Charleston, Kanawha, W. Va.*

Rev. Jacob Brittingham (1881) Rector of St. Luke's Ch., Wheeling ..... *Wheeling, W. Va.*

Rev. Chas. M. Campbell (1886) in charge of Boone Co. Mission ..... *Racine, W. Va.*

Rev. S. Scollay Moore, D. D., (1888) Rector Trinity Church ..... *Parkersburg, W. Va.*

Rev. Andrew J. Willis, (1890) Rector of Nelson Parish, (Grace Middleway, St. Bartholomew's Leetown and Church of the Holy Spirit, Summit Point) ..... *Middleway, W. Va.*

Rev. Geo. W. Easter, (1892). Rector of All Saints Union and in charge of the Church of the Messiah Alderson ..... *Union, W. Va.*

Rev. John S. Gibson (1892) Rector of Trinity Church Huntington, and in charge of Grace Church Kenova ..... *Huntington, W. Va.*

Rev. B. M. Spurr (1894) General Missionary and Supt. Reynold's Memorial Hospital ..... *Moundsville, W. Va.*

Rev. A. G. Grinnan (1895) Rector of St. Pauls Church, Weston ..... *Weston, W. Va.*

**Rt. Rev. C. C. Penick*, D. D. (1899) General Missionary ..... *Fairmont, W. Va.*

Rev. Jno. S. Douglas, (1899) Rector of Trinity Martinsburg, and in charge of Christ Bunker Hill ..... *Martinsburg, W. Va.*

Rev. Chas. E. Shaw. (1899) Rector of Mt. Zion Church, Hedgesville, and in charge of St. Mark's Church Berkeley Springs.....*Berkeley Springs, W. Va*

Rev. David W. Howard (1899) Rector of St. Matthew's Church, Wheeling.....*Wheeling, W. Va.*

Rev. Jas. L. Fish (1900) in charge of St. Barnabas, Davis and Grace Church, Elkins.....*Davis, W. Va.*

Rev. Thos. J. Oliver Curran (1900) in charge of St. Andrews, Wheeling.....*Wheeling, W. Va.*

Rev. John Tilton Marley (1900) Rector of Trinity Morgantown and Warden of the Episcopal Hall....*Morgantown, W. Va.*

Rev. J. Howard Gibbons (1901) Rector of Point Pleasant Parish, (Christ Chapel).....*Point Pleasant, W. Va.*

**Rev. J. A. Hiatt* (1901) Rector of Greenbrier Parish St. James, Lewisburg, Incarnation, Ronceverte, St. Thomas, White Sulphur), and in charge of the Missions in Pocahontas Co.....*Ronceverte, W. Va.*

**Rev. Guy H. Crook* (1901) in charge of St. Paul's Elm Grove and St. Andrew's Mannington.....*Elm Grove, W. Va.*

Rev. Arthur M. Lewis (1901) in charge of St. Davids Powellton, Calvary, Montgomery, and Church of the Redeemer, Anstead.....*Powellton, W. Va.*

Rev. Everett Heath Brosius (1902) Rector of Christ Church, Bluefield, and in charge of Heavenly Rest, Princeton .....*Bluefield, W. Va.*

Rev. Jno. S. Alfriend (1902) Rector of Zion Church, Charles Town.....*Charles Town, W. Va.*

Rev. Wilson Page Chrisman (1902) Rector of Trinity Moundsville, and in charge of Grace Cresaps.....*Moundsville, W. Va.*

Rev. Paca Kennedy (1902) Rector of Ravenswood Parish, (Grace Ravenswood and St. John's Ripley) and of St. John's, Willow Island, and in charge of the Missions of Grace Church, St. Marys.....*Ravenswood, W. Va.*

Rev. Paris B. Stauffer (1902) in charge of St. John's Church, Harpers Ferry, and St. John's Ripon....*Harpers Ferry, W. Va.*

Rev. C. E. A. Marshall (1903) Rector of Trinity, Shepherdstown.....*Shepherdstown, W. Va.*

Rev. Creetus A. Dowell, (1903) Rector of St. Paul's, Sistersville .....*Sistersville, W. Va.*

**Rev. John Warnock* (1903) Rector of St. Mark's, St. Albans, and in Charge of St. Luke's and St. Matthew's, Kanawha Co.....*Charleston, Kanawha, W. Va.*

Rev. Edward D. Irvine, (1903) Rector of Christ Church, Wellsburg, and of St. John's Brooke Co.....*Wellsburg, W. Va.*

Rev. Austin B. Mitchell (1903) in charge of Christ Memorial Church, Williamstown, and of the Parkersburg Mission (Chapel of the Good Shepherd and Grace, Tavernsville) ..... *Parkersburg, W. Va.*

Rev. Jas. F. Plummer (1904) Rector of Christ Church, Clarksburg ..... *Clarksburg, W. Va.*

Rev. W. Howard Meyers (1904) in charge of St. John's, Sutton, Transfiguration, Buckhannon, and Spruce Chapel ..... *Sutton, W. Va.*

**Rev. C. Hely Molony*, (1904) in charge of St. Ann's, New Martinsville ..... *New Martinsville, W. Va.*

Rev. Jos. Livingston (1905) in charge of St. Philip's Chapel, Charles Town ..... *Charles Town, W. Va.*

Rev. Hardy H. Phelps (1905) in charge of Holy Trinity, Bramwell, and Missions at Eckman and Welch ..... *Bramwell, W. Va.*

Rev. Morton A. Barnes, (1905) Rector of Christ Church, Fairmont ..... *Fairmont, W. Va.*

Rev. Peerce N. McDonald (1905) in charge of Kanawha Co. Mission ..... *Paint Creek, W. Va.*

*Absent.

GEO. W. PETERKIN,
Bishop of West Virginia.

June 1, 1906.

Ordained Deacons since meeting of Council.

Rev. E. P. Dandridge. Rev. R. W. Trapnell.

LAY DELEGATES TO THE 29TH COUNCIL.

	Parish.	P. O.	Church.	Delegates.
1.	All Saints	Union	All Saints	Jno. M. Rowan. A. S. Johnson. Jos. D. Logan. *Alt.* E. S. McNeer. Guy A. McLearn. Richd. Mason McNeer.
2.	Bangor	St. Albans	St. Marks	
3.	Bethel	Clarksburg	Christ	W. F. Nuzum. M. W. Smith. J. W. Williams.
4.	Christ	Fairmont	Christ	*W. E. Watson. W. T. Hartman. E. A. Russell. *Alt.* J. C. Smith. J. E. Sands. Sam B. Holbert.
5.	Christ	Wellsburg	Christ	
6.	Emmanuel	Moorefield	Emmanuel	T. W. Lakin. I. V. Seymour. Wm. H. Shearer.
7.	Kanawha	Charleston	St. Johns	J. Talman Waters. *W. S. Laidley. *Angus McDonald. *Alt.* J. L. Richardson. *B. R. Roller. J. C. Jefferds.
8.	Greenbrier	Lewisburg	St. James	
9.	Norbourne	Martinsburg	Trinity	*J. Gassman. †*H. L. Alexander. *C. A. Miller. *Alt.* *W. B. Colston. Dr. A. Andrews. John E. Boyd.
10.	Norbourne	Hedgesville	Mt. Zion	G. T. Kreglow. *P. C. Meyers. *Lee Lingamfelter. *Alt.* J. C. Ellis. F. H. Robins. Jacob H. Miller.
11.	Nelson	Middleway	Christ	Dr. A. P. Thompson. *James Grantham.
		Leetown	St. Bartholomew	*J. H. Strider. *Alt.* Geo. C. Whiting.
		Summit	Holy Spirit	Wm. O. McCoughtry. Dr. C. C. Lucas.
12.	Point Pleasant	Pt. Pleasant	Christ	P. C. Eastham. H. E. Spilman. C. K. Blackwood. *Alt.* M. G. Tyler.
13.	Ravenswood	Ravenswood	Grace	J. V. Armstrong. C. W. Starcher. W. W. Armstrong. F. H. Green. S. G. Starcher. G. B. Crow.
14.	St. Andrews	Charles Town	Zion	*A. B. Hurst. *Geo. R. Wendling. *B. C. Washington. *Alt.* Frank Beckwith. T. T. Perry. R. W. Alexander.
15.	St. Andrews	Shepherdstown	Trinity	A. S. Dandridge. *Jno. O. Aglionby. *Lee H. Moler. *L. R. Lee. Dr. Jno. Meyers. Dr. Ashton Moore.

*Present.
†Mr. Alexander took the place of W. B. Colston on the 3d. day.

	PARISH.	P. O.	CHURCH.	DELEGATES.
16.	St. Johns	Willow Island	St. Johns	
17.	St. Lukes	Wheeling	St. Lukes	Lawrence E. Sands. Frank Zook. *Wylie Irwin. *Alt.* Chas. H. Copp. Geo. J. Rogers. A. A. Taylor.
18.	St. Matthews	Wheeling	St. Matthews	*Jos. D. DuBois. *Peebles Tatum. *Jos. C. Brady. Wm. F. Brady. Julian C. Hearne. Cyrus P. Flick.
19.	St. Pauls	Weston	St. Pauls	Richard Harrison. Louis Bennett. E. G. Davison.
20.	Trinity	Parkersburg	Trinity	B. M. Ambler. *Joel A. Shrewsbury. H. H. Moss *Alt.* W. N. Chancellor. M. G. Ambler. C. C. Martin.
21.	Trinity	Moundsville	Trinity	*H. B. Tyler. V. A. Weaver. Friend Cox. C. L. Walton A. J. Martins. W. B. Williams.
22.	Glen Allen	Morgantown	Trinity	Geo. Rogers. Jas. C. Frazer. Dr. R. H. Edmundson. Wm. C. Marshall.
23.	Trinity	Huntington	Trinity	*Cameron L. Thompson. Gustavus A. Northcott. Carleton D. Emmons. *Alt.* Wiatt J Crawford. F. R. Van Antwerp. Edmund Sehon.
24.	Wetzel	New Martinsville	St. Anne's	Sam'l R. Martin. S. Bruce Hall. Henry Koontz. *Alt.* Leslie J. Williams. A. B. Johnson. Dr. H. N. Browse.
25.	St. Johns	Cross Creek	St. Johns	
26.	Tyler	Sistersville	St. Pauls	
27.	Bluefield	Bluefield	Christ	

MISSIONS.

	NAME.	P. O.	CHURCH.	DELEGATE.
1.	Tyler Co	Grafton	St. Mathias	
2.	Hampshire	Romney	St. Stephens	
3.	"	Okonoko	Epiphany	
4.	Spruce Run	Lorentz	Spruce Chapel	Lilburn Dowell.
5.	Elk River	Sutton	St. Johns	Ames Bright.
6.	Upshur	Buckhannon	Transfiguration	C. O. Latham.
7.	Morgan Co	Berkeley Springs	St. Marks	F. R. Reed.
8.	Harpers Ferry	Harpers Ferry	St. Johns	*Barnabas Bryan.
9.	Ripon	Ripon	St. Johus	*F. C. LaRue. Lafayette Sommers
10.	New River	Hinton	Ascension	
11.	Cresaps	Cresaps	Grace	R. T. Browse. E. A. Sayre.
12.	Coal Valley	Montgomery	Calvary	N. R. Coles.

*Present.

	NAME.	P. O.	CHURCH.	DELEGATE.
13.	Advent	Ansted	Redeemer	*Maurice Clark.
14.	Princeton	Princeton	Heavenly Rest	
15.	Wayne Co	Kenova	Grace	
16.	Bramwell	Bramwell	Holy Trinity	
17.	St. Davids	Powellton	St. Davids	J. D. McCreary. Dr. A. W. De Bell.
18.	Elm Grove	Elm Grove	St. Pauls	
19.	Wheeling	Wheeling	St. Andrews	
20.	St. Lukes	Charleston	St. Lukes	*J. D. Lucadoe.
21.	St. Matthews	Charleston	St. Matthews	
22.	Madison	Clover Lick	Grace	
23.	Norbourne	Bunker Hill	Christ	
24.	St. Thomas	White Sulphur	St. Thomas	
25.	Davis	Tucker	St. Barnabas	
26.	Xr. Memorial	Williamstown	Christ	
27.	Grace	Eckman	Grace	
28.	Elkins	Elkins	Grace	*John F. Lingamfelter. John Lacey Dunlap.
29.	St. Marys	St. Marys	Grace	
30.	St. Andrews	Mannington	St. Andrews	
31.		Parkersburg	Good Shepherd	W. G. Peterkin *A. W. Wagenknicht.
32.		Tavennersville		

*Joseph Trapnell. Chancellor of the Diocese.
*R. M. Browne, Trustee of Episcopal Fund.
L. E. Sands, Treasurer of Diocese.

*Present.

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OF THE

TWENTY-NINTH ANNUAL COUNCIL OF THE PROTESTANT EPISCOPAL CHURCH IN THE DIOCESE OF WEST VIRGINIA.

ZION CHURCH, CHARLES TOWN, W. VA.,
June 6, 1906.

Morning prayer was said at 10:30 a. m. by the Rev. John S. Gibson of Huntington and the Rev. B. M. Spurr of Moundsville, the Rev. Dr. Roller reading the lessons.

The Rt. Rev. W. L. Gravatt, D. D., read the ante-communion.

The Rev. S. Scollay Moore, D. D., of Parkersburg preached the Council Sermon from the text, St. John xii, 21, 22, 23.

The Rt. Rev. G. W. Peterkin, D. D. LL. D., administered the Holy Communion, assisted by the Bishop Coadjutor.

Immediately after the services the Bishop called the Council to order. The roll-call showed a quorum of both orders present, when the Bishop declared the Council duly opened and ready for work.

The Rev. Mr. Gibson moved that the Rules of Order, as bound with the Constitution and Canons be adopted for this Council. Carried.

On motion of the Rev. Mr. Alfriend this order was adopted. The sessions of Council to begin at 9:30 a. m., take a recess at 11 a. m. for divine service, resume at 2:30 p. m. and adjourn at 4:30 p. m.

The Rev. Mr. Gibson offered this resolution, which was adopted:

Resolved, That the president appoint a committee of three laymen on "The Rights of Laymen to Seats" to whom shall be referred the certificate of Mr. Maurice Clark of the Church of the Redeemer, Ansted, for consideration and report.

The Bishop appointed on this committee, Messrs. W. S. Laidley, C. A. Miller and Barnabas Bryan.

The Council took a recess.

2:30 P. M.

The Bishop Called the Council to order

The following Standing Committees were appointed:

Parochial Reports.

Rev. Jas. F. Plummer. Mr. Joel Shrewsbury.
Rev. J. Howard Gibbons. Mr. V. A. Weaver.

State of the Church.

Rev. A. G. Grinnan. Mr. C. L. Thompson.
Rev. E. D. Irvine. Mr. Peebles Tatum.
Rev. E. H. Brosius. Mr. W. B. Colston.

Admission of New Parishes.

Rev. T. J. O. Curran. Mr. Frank Beckwith.
Rev. C. E. Shaw. Mr. Lee Lingamfelter.

Episcopal and Permanent Fund.

Rev. D. W. Howard. Mr. R. M. Browne.
Rev. G. W. Easter. Mr. F. C. LaRue.

Unfinished Business.

Rev. R. D. Roller, D. D. Mr. James Grantham.
Rev. C. A. Dowell. Mr. Lee Mohler.

The Bishop appointed Mr. Peebles Tatum Treasurer of the Diocese, *pro tem.*

The Rev. Mr. Gibson made the following report. The appended resolutions were adopted:

To the Twenty-ninth Annual Council of the Diocese of West Virginia:

The Committee appointed by the Twenty-eighth Annual Council to "arrange in order, punctuate, re-index, and otherwise edit and print 1000 copies of the new constitution and canons respectfully reports: That acting as above indicated your committee edited and printed an edition of 1000 copies of the constitution and canons, printing therewith the Rules of Order of the Council, and distributed the same to those sending order therefor in November, 1905.

Your committee finding that the charges for printing and distributing the canons had not been provided endeavored to arrange for such expenses, after consultation with the Bishop and Treasurer, and adopted the plan of asking the clergy to order a sufficient number of copies for the use of their charges at a price of 25c each for cloth covered Manilla and 10c for paper covered copies.

Your committee received orders to the amount of $58.55 and an advance from the treasurer, Mr. R. M. Browne, of $25.00; a total of $83.55. We paid out as follows:

Printing circulars, expressage and postage	$ 6.10
Printing and binding canons	62.05
Returned to treasurer, Mr. R. M. Browne	14.80
Balance in hand	.60
	$ 83.55

It is a cause of regret to your committee that we were unable to meet the whole cost of the publication and distribution. We could readily have done so had all the clergy ordered the copies necessary to give even one to each vestryman, but there are two in the Eastern, three in the Kanawha and six in the Northwestern convocations who failed to order *any* copies, and several who took only one. Under these conditions we feel that we have done well to have used in this work only $10.20 of the Diocesan fund, and this we hope to repay.

Your committee recommend the adoption of the following:

Resolved: That a uniform price of 10c per copy for the remainder of the present edition is hereby placed upon "The Constitution and Canons of the Diocese of West Virginia. Revision of 1905," and the Bishop is hereby requested to appoint some one to have charge of said canons and to supply same to those who will pay the stipulated price and the cost of delivery to them.

JNO. S. GIBSON,
ROBT. DOUGLAS ROLLER,
Committee.

The Rev. Mr. Gibson moved that the Bishop appoint a Committee on Finance, to whom should be referred all matters relating to finance Adopted.

The Bishop appointed the following:

Mr. W. S. Laidley, Mr. J. C. Brady, Mr. C. A. Miller, Mr. R. M. Browne, Mr. L. E. Sands.

The Trustee of the Episcopate Fund presented his report, which was referred to the proper Committees

The Bishop then read the statistical part of his address.

The Bishop Coadjutor presented his report, which reads as follows:

DIARY FROM JUNE 1905 TO JUNE 1906.

JUNE.

May 31st. Attended the 28th Annual Diocesan Council in Christ Church, Clarksburg, and assisted in the opening service.

June 1st, Ascension Day, A. M. Preached in Christ Church, Clarksburg.

June 4th, Sunday, A. M. Preached in the Presbyterian Church, Clarksburg. P. M. Assisted in the closing service of the Council.

June 6th, Tuesday. Visited the work at St. Andrews', on the mountain.

June 7th, Wednesday. Officiated at a marriage in the Church of St. Michael and All Angels, in Baltimore, Md.

June 8th and 9th, Thursday and Friday. Attended a meeting of the House of Bishops in New York for the purpose of electing a Coadjutor to South Dakota.

June 11th, Sunday, A. M. Preached the baccalaureate sermon at the State Normal School, at Athens. P. M. Preached in Christ Church, Bluefield, and confirmed eight.

June 13th, Tuesday. Attended a meeting of the Board of Trustees of the Virginia Theological Seminary, and the closing exercises of the Episcopal High School.

June 16th, Friday. Ordained to the priesthood Rev. Howard Myers in the Chapel at the Virginia Seminary.

June 17th, Saturday. Visited the work at St. Andrews, on Blue Ridge Mountain.

June 18th, Sunday. Preached at St. Andrews, on the mountain, and baptized an infant.

June 21, Wednesday. Visited St. Andrews, on the mountain.

June 23rd, Friday. Officiated at the funeral of Mr. Richard Henderson, a vestryman of Zion Church, and a man who had consecrated his life to the interests of his Parish Church and the work of the Diocese. His place will be hard to fill.

June 24th, Saturday. Officiated at the funeral of Mrs. Richard Rutherford.

June 25th, Sunday. Visited the Chapel at Duffields, and conducted the service.

June 28th, Wednesday. I went to St. Andrews, on the mountain to hold a conference about the work.

JULY.

July 2nd, Sunday. Visited Trinity Church, Martinsburg. Preached and confirmed one, and celebrated the Holy Communion. 3 P. M. Visited Christ Church, Bunker Hill. Preached and confirmed one.

July 5th, Wednesday. Visited the work on Blue Ridge Mountain.

July 8th, Saturday. The Industrial Hall, at St. Andrews, on the mountain, was opened, and appropriate exercises held.

July 9th, Sunday. Assisted A. M. in the services at Zion Church, Charles Town. P. M. Assisted in the services at St. Andrews, on the mountain.

July 10th, Monday. Attended a conference at Shenandoah Junction.

July 16th, Sunday. Started for Christ Church Chapel on the mountain but could not cross the river on account of high water.

July 18th, Tuesday. Visited three sick families, in St. Andrews Parish, in the absence of the rector.

July 20th, Friday. Officiated at the funeral of Mr. Alexander Campbell, in Zion Church, Charles Town.

July 23rd, Sunday. Read services and preached in Zion Church, Charles Town at 11 A. M. 7 P. M. Read evening prayer.

July 30th, Sunday. Preached in Christ Church, Washington, D. C., at 11 A. M. 3 P. M. Preached at the open air service on the Cathedral grounds in Washington.

AUGUST.

August 5th, Saturday. I attended a conference at Black Mountain, N. C.

August 6th, Sunday. A. M. Preached in Zion Church, Charles Town.

August 7th, Monday. Baptized an infant at the request of the rector of Zion Church, Charles Town.

August 13th, Sunday, A. M. Preached in Zion Church, Charles Town.

August 20th, Sunday. At the request of the Standing Committee of the Diocese of Washington, I visited the church at Barnesville and preached. Also in the evening the church in Poolesville. Preached and confirmed four.

August 22nd, Tuesday. Visited St. Andrews, on the mountain. 6 P. M. Officiated at a marriage in Charles Town.

August 24th, Thursday. I conducted service for the School Institute.

August 27th, Sunday. At the request of the Standing Committee of the Diocese of Washington, I visited St. John's Church, Olney. A. M. Preached and confirmed three. 3 P. M. Preached in St. Luke's Church, and confirmed three. After this service I confirmed a sick person in private. 8 P. M. Preached in Brookville.

August 28th, Monday. Preached in the church at Unity, Md. 3 P. M. Preached at St. Bartholomew's Church.

SEPTEMBER.

September 3rd, Sunday. A. M. Preached in Grace Church, Elkins 8 P. M. Preached in St. Barnabas Church, Davis, and confirmed two.

September 10th, Sunday. Preached in Emmanuel Church, Moorefield, A. M., and confirmed four. P. M. Preached in Emmanuel Church, Moorefield.

September 12th, Tuesday. I attended the Kanawha Convocation in Grace Church, Ravenswood, and took part in the opening service.

September 13th, Wednesday. Preached in Grace Church, Ravenswood, and confirmed one. Celebrated the Holy Communion.

September 14th, Thursday. Made an address on Diocesan Missions, in Grace Church, Ravenswood, and confirmed one.

September 15th, Friday. Preached in Grace Church, Cresaps, and confirmed two.

September 17th, Sunday. A. M. Made an address to the Sunday School of Christ Church, Wellsburg. 11 A. M. Preached in Grace Church and confirmed one. 3 P. M. Visited St. John's Church, Brooke Co., and preached. 8 P. M. Preached in Christ Church, Wellsburg.

September 18th, Monday. A. M. Visited Reynold's Memorial Hospital. P. M. Visited New Cumberland. Preached in the Methodist Church, and confirmed five.

September 19th, Tuesday. I attended a meeting of the Northwestern Convocation in Mannington. Preached the opening sermon and confirmed one.

September 21st, Thursday. Visited the work on Blue Ridge Mountain.

September 24th, Sunday. I went with Mr. Maurice Clark to Christ Church on the mountain. A. M. Read the service and made an address. P. M. Visited St. Andrews on the mountain. Baptized two infants and made an address.

September 27th, Wednesday. Preached in the church at Clover Lick.

September 28th, Thursday. Conducted service and preached at Hillsboro.

September 29th, Friday. Preached in the Presbyterian Church at Huntersville.

September 30th, Saturday, P. M. Conducted service and preached in the Presbyterian Church at Marlinton.

OCTOBER.

October 1st, Sunday. P. M. Conducted service and preached in the Church of the Incarnation at Ronceverte.

October 11th, Wednesday. Officiated at a marriage at Ansted.

October 15th, Sunday. Preached in Zion Church, North River. P. M. Preached in St. Stephens Church, Romney.

October 16th, Monday. Attended a conference in Washington, D. C.

October 18th, Wednesday. A. M. Preached in Grace Church, Eckman. P. M. Preached in the Presbyterian Church, at Welch.

October 19th, Thursday. Preached in the Presbyterian Church at Welch. P. M. Preached at Gary, in the school house.

October 20th, Friday. Preached in the church at Elkhorn, and baptized an infant P. M.

October 21st, Saturday A. M. and P. M. Preached in the Church of the Holy Trinity, in Bramwell.

October 22nd, Sunday. A. M. Preached in Holy Trinity, Bramwell and confirmed four. P. M. Preached in the school house at Moler and confirmed two persons at Moler in private.

October 23rd, Monday. Had to cancel appointments at Keystone because of some misunderstanding of notice of service.

October 24th, Tuesday. Preached in the school house at Panther.

October 25th, Wednesday. Conducted service in the Methodist Church at Matewan.

October 26th, Thursday. Preached in the Presbyterian Church at Williamson, and confirmed one.

October 27th, Friday. Celebrated the Holy Communion in the Presbyterian Church in Williamson, 10 A. M.

October 30th, Monday. I met a committee in Washington in behalf of the cause of missions.

NOVEMBER.

November 2nd, 3rd and 4th. Spent in Richmond, Va., in behalf of church work.

November 5th, Sunday, A. M. and P. M. Preached in Holy Trinity Church, Richmond, Va.

November 8th, Wednesday. Preached in the church at Spillman, and confirmed two.

November 9th, Thursday. I went to Parkersburg to confer with Bishop Peterkin.

November 12th, Sunday, A. M. Preached in Trinity Church, Shepherdstown. P. M. Preached in the Church of the Good Shepherd, at Duffields, and confirmed six.

November 14th, Tuesday. Attended a meeting of the Board of Trustees of the Theological Seminary, at the Seminary.

November 17th, Friday. Visited the work on the Blue Ridge Mountain.

November 19th, Sunday. Preached in the Presbyterian Church A. M. and P. M. at Keyser.

November 26th, Sunday. A. M. Took part in the service in Zion Church, Charles Town. 3 P. M. Preached in Grace Church, Middleway. 7 P. M. Preached at St. Margaret's, Piney.

November 29th, Wednesday. Visited St. Andrews, on the mountain.

November 30th, Thursday. Thanksgiving day. Took part in the service in Zion Church, Charles Town.

DECEMBER.

December 3rd, Sunday, A. M. Took part in the service Zion Church, Charles Town.

December 8th, Friday. Made an address at the Masonic Building, Charles Town.

December 24th, Sunday. Visited St. Andrews on the mountain. Preached, baptized one adult, and confirmed two.

December 31st, Sunday A. M. Preached in Zion Church, Charles Town. P. M. Assisted in the service.

JANUARY, 1906.

January 7th, Sunday A. M. Took part in the consecration service in St. Peters Church, Norfolk, Va. 8 P. M. Preached in St. Peters Church, Norfolk, Va.

January 8th, Monday. At the request of the rector of St. Peters Church, Norfolk, Va., I baptized an infant.

January 12th, Friday. Visited the work on Blue Ridge Mountain.

January 14th, Sunday P. M. Took part in the service in Zion Church, Charles Town.

January 18th, Thursday. Went to Washington to confer with Rev. B. M. Spurr about important matters connected with the mountain work.

January 19th, Friday. Presided at a meeting of the ministers of Jefferson County, held in the Parish Building, Charles Town, W. Va., A. M. P. M. Made an address in the Court House, Charles Town.

January 20th, Saturday. Visited St. Andrews on the mountain to consider certain changes in the work.

January 21st, Sunday A, M. Visited St. John's Church, Harpers Ferry. Preached and confirmed two.

January 22nd, Monday. Called to Washington to meet a committee.

January 23rd, Tuesday. Confirmed at home in Charles Town a sick person. P. M. Made an address in Shepherdstown.

January 24th, Wednesday. Officiated at a funeral in Zion Church, Charles Town.

January 25th, Thursday. Addressed a mass meeting of citizens of Jefferson County.

January 27th, Saturday. Attended a conference in Charles Town.

January 29th, Monday. Attended a public meeting in the Court House at Charles Town in behalf of good morals.

January 30th, Tuesday. Visited St. Andrews on the mountain to confer with the teachers and look after the work.

FEBRUARY.

February 14th, Sunday. Assisted in the service in Zion Church, Charles Town, A. M.

February 11th, Sunday. Preached in the Baptist Church, Charles Town, A. M. P. M. In St. Margaret's Chapel, Fairview.

February 12th, Monday. Made an address to the Woman's Auxiliary, in Charles Town, W. Va.

February 18th, Sunday. Officiated at St. Andrews Church on the mountain.

February 21st, Wednesday. Attended a meeting of the Committee of Diocesan Missions, at Parkersburg.

February 22nd, Thursday. Assisted in the consecration of the Chapel of the Good Shepherd, Parkersburg.

February 25th, Sunday. 7 A. M. In Christ Church, Easton, Md., celebrated the Holy Communion. 11 A. M. Preached in Christ Church. 7:30 P. M. Preached to the Brotherhood of St. Andrew, in Christ Church.

February 26th, 27th and 28th. I went to New York to attend a conference of church workers.

MARCH.

March 2nd, Friday. Visited St. Andrew on the mountain.

March 4th, Sunday. Assisted in the Holy Communion, Zion Church, Charles Town.

March 5th, Monday. Visited the Theological Seminary of Virginia.

March 7th, Wednesday. Visited the work on Blue Ridge Mountain.

March 9th, Friday, P. M. Preached in St. Luke's Church, Wheeling.

March 11th, Sunday A. M. Preached in Trinity Church, Moundsville. P. M. Preached in Trinity Church, and confirmed sixteen.

March 12th, Monday P. M. Preached at St. Paul's, Elm Grove, Wheeling, and attended a meeting of the congregation immediately after service.

March 13th, Tuesday P. M. Preached in Christ Church, Williamstown.

March 14th, Wednesday. Attended a conference in Parkersburg.

March 17th, Saturday. Visited the Alms House, Jefferson Co., for confirmation services.

March 18th, Sunday. Visited St. Andrews on the mountain.

APRIL.

April 1st, Sunday A. M. Preached in Trinity Church, Martinsburg, and confirmed eight. P. M. Preached in Zion Church, Hedgesville, and confirmed one.

April 4th, Wednesday. Visited the work on Blue Ridge mountain.

April 5th, Thursday. Assisted in a funeral service, Zion Church, Charles Town.

April 8th, Sunday. Preached in Zion Church, Charles Town, A. M. and confirmed sixteen. P. M. Visited St. Philip's Chapel, preached and confirmed two.

April 10th, Tuesday. Visited the work on Blue Ridge mountain.

April 12th, Thursday P. M. Celebrated the Holy Communion in Zion Church, Charles Town.

April 15th, Sunday, Easter. Trinity Church, Morgantown. Read the service, preached and celebrated the Holy Communion 11 A. M. 4 P. M. Met with those to be confirmed. 7:30 P. M., read service, preached and confirmed one in Trinity Church, Morgantown.

April 22nd, Sunday, A. M. Preached in Christ Church, Fairmont, and

confirmed ten. P. M. Preached in Christ Church, Clarksburg, and confirmed eight.

April 23rd, Monday. Preached in St. John's Church, Sutton, and confirmed two.

April 24th, Tuesday. Preached in the Baptist Church, Gassaway.

April 25th, Wednesday. Preached in the Methodist Church, Burnsville.

April 27th, Friday. Visited Reynold's Memorial Hospital in behalf of the mountain work. P. M. Preached in Grace Church. St. Marys.

April 29th, Sunday, 9:30 A. M. Made an address to the Sunday School at St. Anne's Church, New Martinsville. 11 A. M. Preached and confirmed one. P. M. Preached in St. Andrews Church, Wheeling, and confirmed two.

MAY.

May 5th, Saturday. Met the vestry and Woman's Auxiliary at the rectory in Middleway, and made an address.

May 6th, Sunday, A. M. Visited Trinity Church, Shepherdstown. Preached and confirmed six. P. M. Visited the colored mission in Shepherdstown, preached and confirmed three.

May 11th, Friday. Visited St. Andrews on the mountain.

May 13th, Sunday. Read service A. M. Grace Church, Middleway, preached and celebrated Holy Communion. P. M. Preached in the Church of the Holy Spirit, Summit Point.

May 14th, Monday. Officiated at the funeral of Mrs. William T. Leavell, widow of the late Rev. William T. Leavell, in Zion Church, Charles Town.

May 16th, Wednesday. Preached in the Presbyterian Church at Dubree, and confirmed three.

May 17th, Thursday. Preached in the school house at Wake Forest.

May 18th, Friday. Preached in the school house at Carbon.

May 20th, Sunday. Preached in the Baptist Church A. M. at East Bank. P. M. In the Chapel of the Good Shepherd, Paint Creek, and confirmed five.

May 21st, Monday. Preached in the school house at Standard.

May 22nd, Tuesday. Preached in the school house at Page.

May 23rd, Wednesday. Preached in the Methodist Church at Glen Ferris.

May 24th, Thursday. Preached in the Methodist Church at Fayetteville.

May 25th, Friday. Preached in the Presbyterian Church at Nuttalburg, and confirmed one.

May 27th, Sunday A. M. Preached in St. David's, Powellton, and celebrated the Holy Communion. 3 P. M. Preached in the church at Mt. Carbon. 8 P. M. Preached in Calvary Church, Montgomery, and confirmed six.

May 28th, Monday. Preached in the Church of the Redeemer, Ansted, and confirmed six.

May 29th, Tuesday. Assisted in the consecration service of the Church of the Good Shepherd, Paint Creek, and in the afternoon attended a meeting of the Board of Trustees of the Sheltering Arms Hospital.

JUNE.

June 3rd, Sunday, A. M. Took part in the service, Zion Church, Charles Town. 3 P. M. Visited St. Bartholomew's Church, Leetown, preached and confirmed two. 7:30 P. M. Preached in Grace Church, Middleway.

During the past year the work at St. Andrew's on the Mountain has been enlarged by the completion of the Industrial Hall and additions to the Sarah Sprague Memorial House. The Chapel has been put on a stone foundation, and is now in a thorough state of repair. The grounds have been much improved by granite walks and a substantial fence. Most excellent work has been done at this point during the past year in the day school, and in the night school for boys and men; also in the mother's meetings and sewing school. This has been accomplished by the expenditure of a large sum of money which has been entirely secured through the interest and energy of the Rev. B. M. Spurr. I am glad to be able to report for the first time that the people on the Mountain have done something for themselves. They have raised $103.00, and have paid their assessment to Diocesan Missions, General Missions, and to the Sunday School Advent Offering. I received during the year from outside sources for this work $3,239.00. This money has been expended for buildings, outside work and salaries. About $700.00 of it was spent in giving work to the people during the winter months and thereby prevent suffering. The books will be placed in the hands of an auditing committee.

SUMMARY.

Lay Readers Licensed	3
Baptisms, Infants 6; Adults 1	7
Confirmations	157
Marriages	4
Burials	5
Visits Made	113
Sermons	129
Addresses	52
Ordination to Priesthood	2

MONEY RECEIVED.

Balance on hand June 1st., 1905	$ 38.63
Cash from Woman's Auxiliary, Charles Town	100.00
Cash from friend in Charles Town	50.00

Cash from Trinity Church, Sunday School, Moundsville	25.00
Cash from Bishop Penick	20.00
Cash from Christ Church, Fairmont	13.67
Cash	10.00
Total	$257.30

MONEY PAID OUT.

To two grants within bounds of three Convocations	$175.00
To one grant for education	17.00
To one grant for Rectory	50.00
Total	$242.00
Balance on hand	$ 15.30

The Rev. Mr. Gibson offered this motion, which was adopted:

The Committee on Assessments is hereby instructed that when they make their assessments and apportionments upon the parishes and missions they make a separate and distinct apportionment for General Missions.

The Rev. Dr. Moore moved that Mr. B. C. Washington and Mr. Beebles Tatum be added to the Assessment Committee, to fill the vacancies occasioned by the death of Mr. Richard Henderson, and the absence of Dr. Aschman. Adopted.

On motion the Council adjourned.

Thursday, June 7, 1906.
9:30 A. M.

The Bishop called the Council to order. Prayers were read by the Rev. J. T. Marley.

The minutes of yesterday were read and approved.

The Bishop read his Annual address, as follows:

BISHOP PETERKIN'S ADDRESS

In the providence of God we meet today in the 29th annual council of our Diocese, the last year has but added to our many causes of thankfulness, and we are all here before God today, to consecrate ourselves anew to his service, and in doing what our general circumstances allow and our opportunities indicate for us to do. We hope to be faithful laborers in this part of the Lord's Vineyard.

The Twenty-Eighth Annual Council of the Diocese of West Virginia

was held in Christ Church, Clarksburg; beginning Wednesday, May 31, 1906. The date was one week earlier than usual, in order that the Clergy might spend Whitsunday in their own parishes. The record of these Annual Councils is published year after year, at considerable expense, and a copy of the Journal is placed in the hands of each Clergyman and Vestry man. I could wish that these Journals were more generally read and pondered; with increased knowledge of our work, we might expect a growing interest in it.

JUNE.

Wednesday, 7th. The Church of the Holy Apostles, New York. I took part, with Bishops Gailor and Woodcock, in a Missionary Mass meeting.

Thursday, 8, and Friday 9. In attendance on a meeting of the House of Bishops, in New York.

Sunday, 11th. I delivered the sermon at the closing exercises of Marshall College, Huntington. I also addressed the Sunday School of Trinity Church, and in the evening preached in the Church.

Monday, 12th, to Friday, 16th. In attendance upon the closing exercises of the Seminary and High School. During this time I was present at the examination of the candidates from West Virginia, attended meetings of the Education Society and of the Trustees, briefly addressed the graduates of the High School on Wednesday, and on Friday, 16th, in the Chapel, ordained to the Deaconate Thomas Getz Hill and Pierce Naylor McDonald.

Sunday, 18th. In Christ Church, Fairmont, I preached morning and evening, and in the morning confirmed 12 persons. I had the pleasure of welcoming the new Rector, Rev. Morton A. Barnes, who has entered with energy upon his new work, and has promise of great usefulness in this important parish.

Tuesday, 20th. Officiated at a wedding at Beury.

Sunday, 25th. Preached in Grace Church, Tavernersville.

Tuesday, 27. At Gambier, O., attended the meeting of the Trustees of Kenyon College.

Wednesday, 28th. Attended the commencement of the Training School for nurses at the Reynolds Memorial Hospital, near Moundsville, made a short address and delivered diplomas to two graduates.

JULY.

Sunday, 2nd. A. M. St. John's Church, Willow Island. P M. Church of Our Savior, Waverly.

Saturday, 8th. On the Blue Ridge Mountain near Charles Town I attended the dedication exercises of Lippett Memorial Hall, and made a short address.

Sunday, 9th. A. M. Assisted by Mr. Trapnell, who was temporarily in

charge of the work, I held service at Christ Church, Blue Ridge, administered the Communion and baptized four children. P. M. took part in the service at St. Andrews. Mr. Spurr preaching.

Friday, 14th. Preached in the Union Church at Long Reach. Mr. Dowell assisting in the services.

Sunday, 16th. A. M. Trinity Church, Parkersburg. P. M. Good Shepherd, Parkersburg.

Sunday, 23rd. A. M. Good Shepherd, Parkersburg. P. M. Christ Memorial, Williamstown.

Sunday, 30th. A. M. Cairo. P. M. Pennsboro. At Cairo baptized an infant.

AUGUST.

Wednesday, 2nd. Whittle Chapel, Jackson Co.

Thursday, 3rd. Big Run School House.

Friday, 4th. White Rose School House. This was my first visit to these two last named places, where Mr. Kennedy preaches regularly.

Sunday, 6th. A. M. Ripley. P. M. Ravenswood.

Monday, 7. Preached in M. E. Church, Spencer.

Friday, 11th. In Presbyterian Ch., Fort Spring.

Sunday, 13th. A. M. and P. M. in All Saints Union. In the afternoon preached for the first time in Wickline School House, where Mr. Easter holds regular services.

Monday, 14th. In the Court House at Union addressed the Teachers' Institute.

Tuesday, 15th. In the Methodist Ch., Beckley, preached and confirmed two.

Wednesday, 16th. In the School House at Scarborough preached and confirmed 3, presented by Rev. Mr. Hiatt, who holds regular services here. It was my first visit.

Friday, 18th. Preached in the Hotel at Barger's Spring.

Sunday, 20th. A. M. St. Thomas' Church, White Sulphur. P. M. in the mill at Henderson's Lumber Camp, Anthony. Rev. Mr. Crook has regular services here. It was my first visit.

Tuesday, 22nd. Attended a meeting of the Executive Committee of the Sheltering Arms Hospital, held in Charleston.

Sunday, 27th. A. M. and P. M. St. Mark's, Berkeley Springs, addressed the Sunday School, celebrated the Holy Communion, and confirmed three.

Monday, 28th. Preached in the Presbyterian Ch., Bayard.

Tuesday, 29th. Parsons.

Wednesday, 30th. Coalton, in Presbyterian Ch. My first visit.

Thursday, 31st. In Presbyterian Ch. at Thomas. This was my first visit. Mr. Fish has regular services here.

SEPTEMBER.

Friday, 1st. Paw Paw.

Sunday, 3rd. A. M. and P. M. Okonoko; confirmed one.

Monday, 4th. Keyser.

Sunday, 10th. A. M. Middleway, celebrated the Holy Communion. P. M. in School House at Fairview, preached and confirmed 8. Mr. Willis has had great encouragement in his work at Fairview and with the help of Mr. Edmund P. Dandridge during the summer has gathered quite a congregation and proposes to build a chapel.

During this week I remained through Thursday, in attendance on the Eastern Convocation. On Wednesday, 13th., I preached and celebrated the Holy Communion, making several addresses during the sessions of the Convocation.

Sunday, 17th. St. James' Ch., Richmond, Va. P. M. Grace Church, Richmond, Va.

Tuesday, 19th. Hedgesville; confirmed 3.

Sunday, 24th. Parkersburg, Chapel of Good Shepnerd. Visited the Sunday School and preached.

OCTOBER.

Sunday, 1st. Dorsey, Md., Trinity Ch., A. M. and P. M.

Sunday, 8th. A. M. Richmond, Va., St. James' Ch. P. M. Richmond, Va., Grace Church.

Tuesday, 10th. New York. Board of Missions.

Wednesday, 11th. Took part in the Consecration services of St. James' Ch., Leesburg, Va., and on Thursday, 12th., preached.

Sunday, 15th. Keyser Presbyterian Ch., A. M. and P. M., confirmed 1.

Sunday, 22nd. A. M. and P. M., New Martinsville; confirmed 6. Also conferred with the Vestry.

Sunday, 29th. Consecrated Grace Ch., St. Marys, and preached A. M. and P. M.

NOVEMBER.

Wednesday, 1st., Sunday, 5th. Took part in the conference of the 3rd Mississippi District in Nashville, Tenn., made an address in Christ Ch. on Thursday; also at the mass meeting in the theatre on Friday and on Sunday. Preached A. M. in Christ Ch. and P. M. in St. Anns.

Sunday, 12th. A. M. Ripon. P. M. Harpers Ferry. These two points are now served very efficiently by Mr. Stauffer.

Tuesday, 14th. New York. Board of Missions.

Sunday, 19th. Methodist Ch., East Bank. P. M. Ch. of the Good Shepherd, Paint Creek, baptized 1 and confirmed 2. This was my first service in this Church. We are indebted for the means to build this Church,

and also the commodious and sightly Rectory near it largely to Mrs. Cochran of New York. The work of arranging for and superintending the construction was undertaken and most successfully accomplished by the Rev. Dr. Roller.

Monday, 20th. In School House at Standard preached, baptized 3 and confirmed 4. The candidates at Paint Creek and Standard were presented by Rev. Mr. McDonald, who has charge of this circuit with headquarters at Paint Creek.

Tuesday, 21st. Wendal. My first visit.

Wdnesday, 22nd. M. E. Ch., Ferris.

Thursday, 23rd. School House at Page. My first visit to this mission newly opened by Mr. Lewis.

Friday, 24th. Fayetteville.

Sunday, 26th. Ansted. P. M. Montgomery, confirmed one.

Wednesday, 29th. Clarksburg. confirmed two.

Thursday, 30th. Weston.

DECEMBER.

Friday, 1st. Gassaway, Baptist Church. Also met members and friends in conference.

Saturday, 2nd. Visited Burnsville.

Sunday, 3rd. A. M. and P. M. Weston, confirmed 2, and celebrated the Holy Communion. In the afternoon Middle Run, St. Paul's Chapel.

Friday, 8th. Visited the Reynolds Memorial Hospital, Glendale, to inspect the Institution and go over the accounts.

Sunday, 10th. A. M. St. Matthews', Wheeling. P. M. Elm Grove, confirmed 1. P. M. St. Andrews', confirmed 9.

Sunday, 17. Trinity Ch., Parkersburg.

Sunday, 24th. Good Shepherd, Parkersburg.

Monday, 25th. Christmas Day, Good Shepherd, Parkersburg.

Sunday, 31st. Good Shepherd, Parkersburg.

JANUARY, 1906.

Sunday, 7th. St. Paul's Ch., Ogontz, Penn. A. M. and in the afternoon addressed the Bible Class which for many years had been taught by the late Mr. Jay Cooke.

Monday, 8th, and Tuesday, 9th. Meetings in New York in connection with the Board of Missions.

Sunday, 14th. A. M. Good Shepherd, Parkersburg, and in the afternoon addressed the Sunday School.

Sunday, 21st. Good Shepherd, Parkersburg.

Tuesday, 23rd, and Wednesday, 24th. In attendance on the N. W. Convocation in Buckhannon, during which time I preached and made an address.

Friday, 26th. Presbyterian Ch., Cedar Grove. Confirmed 1.

Saturday, 27th. Visited the Sheltering Arms Hospital.

Sunday, 28th. A. M. St. John's, Charleston. P. M. In the School House at Kanawha City. Confirmed 4. P. P. M. St. Albans.

Monday, 29th. In the Cathedral at Lexington, Ky., on the occasion of Bishop Burton's 10th anniversary. I preached.

Tuesday, 30th. Made an address in the same Ch.

FEBRUARY.

Sunday, 4th. Good Shepherd, Parkersburg.

Wednesday, 7th, and Thursday, 8th. Attended the sessions of the Kanawha Convocation in Huntington, and preached once.

Sunday, 11th. A. M. Williamstown. P. M. Trinity Ch., Parkersburg.

Sunday, 18th. Good Shepherd, Parkersburg.

Thursday, 22nd. Consecrated the Church of the Good Shepherd, Parkersburg, and preached. There were a goodly number of clergy from W. Va. present, and two from Southern Ohio.

Friday, 23rd. Took part in services at the Good Shepherd. Rev. Mr. Howard of Wheeling, preaching.

Sunday, 25th. Took part in services in the same Church morning, afternoon and evening, Bishop Penick preaching.

Monday, 26th. Took part with Rev. Dr. Moore in funeral services.

Wednesday, 28th. Ash Wednesday. Preached in Christ Church, Point Pleasant, and conferred with the vestry as to the building of a new Rectory.

MARCH.

Thursday, 1st. Trinity Ch., Parkersburg.

Friday, 2nd. Mannington; also addressed a congregational meeting relative to the supply of the pulpit.

Sunday, 4th. A. M. and P. M. Morgantown. Had good accounts of Mr. Morley from Jamaica. Found Rev. H. B. Thomas in temporary charge of the Parish.

Wednesday, 7th. Good Shepherd, Parkersburg. Spent Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday of this week in Wheeling in the effort to interest Church people in the building of St. Andrews. With the cordial co-operation of Mr. Howard and Mr. Brittingham and the continued efforts of Mr. Curran and his earnest workers, we hope to push through the work this year. The burden of the work falls upon Mr. Howard and St. Matthews. During this visit I made addresses both in St. Matthews and St. Luke's.

Sunday, 19th. Good Shepherd, Parkersburg.

Thursday, 23rd. St. James' Ch., Richmond, Va.

Friday, 24th. St. Mark's Ch., Richmond.

Sunday, 26th. St. James' Ch., Richmond. P. M. Emmanuel, Henrico Co.

Tuesday, 28th. Had in Norfolk, Va., two committee meetings on business for the Seminary, also made an address in St. Paul's Ch.

APRIL.

Sunday, 1st. St. Paul's, Haymarket, Va. P. M. Church of Our Savior, Georgetown, Va.

Wednesday, 4th. Took part in service at Good Shepherd, Parkersburg, Rev. Mr. Molony preaching.

Sunday, 8th. St. Luke's, Wheeling, confirmed 16. P. M. St. Matthews', Wheeling, confirmed 28, of which number 7 were deaf mutes gathered under the ministration of Rev. Mr. Whildin, who regularly has service in the lecture room of St. Matthews' Ch.

Monday, 9th. A. M. Address in St. Luke's, Wheeling. P. M. Wellsburg; confirmed 9.

Tuesday, 10th. Sistersville. Confirmed 8.

Wednesday, 11th. In St. Anns Ch., New Martinsville, ordained Rev. C. Hely Molony to the Priesthood. The Rev. Dr. Moore presented the candidate, preached the sermon and with Revs. Howard, Brittingham, Dowell, Irvine and Molony, united in the laying on of hands.

Thursday, 12th. In Trinity Ch., Huntington, I celebrated the Holy Communion.

Friday, 13th. Good Friday, I preached A. M. and P. M. in the same Ch. and at the evening service confirmed 7.

Sunday, 15th. A. M. Williamstown. P. M. Good Shepherd, Parkersburg; confirmed 7.

Monday, 16th. Davis; confirmed 5.

Tuesday, 17th. Elkins; confirmed 5; also met the vestry.

Friday, 20th. In the Methodist Ch., Winfield, I preached.

Sunday, 22nd. A. M. St. John's Ch., Charleston; confirmed 11. Three other candidates were confirmed in other places. P. M. St. Matthew's, near Charleston, confirmed 5. P. P. M. St. Luke's, South Charleston.

Sunday, 29th. A. M. Ascension Ch., Hinton. P. M. Baptist Ch., Red Star. P. P. M. St. Peter's, Glen Jean.

MAY.

Tuesday, 1st. Ronceverte.

Wednesday, 2nd. Met the vestry in Ronceverte. P. M. St. James' Ch., Lewisburg; confirmed 2.

Thursday, 3rd. Alderson.

Sunday, 6th. A. M. and P. M. Union. Addressed the Sunday School and at the evening service confirmed 3.

Tuesday, 8th. New York. Board of Missions.

Wednesday, 9th. Hedgesville. Eastern Convocation. A. M. Preached and administered the Lord's Supper. P. M. attended business meeting and made an address. P. P. M. Took part in Missionary meeting and made an address.

Sunday, 13th. A. M. Weston; confirmed 2. P. M. Middle Run. P. P. M. Weston.

Tuesday, 15th. At the opening of the Church Congress in St. James' Church, Philadelphia, delivered an address.

Thursday, 17th. Romney, confirmed 7.

Saturday, 19th. Bruce Chapel.

Sunday, 20th. A. M. Bruce Chapel, confirmed 2. P. M. Pt. Pleasant.

Monday, 21st. Ravenswood.

Tuesday, 22nd. Preached in a School House at Willow Grove.

Wednesday, 23rd. Ripley.

Sunday, 27th. A. M. Parkersburg, Trinity Ch., confirmed 9. P. M. Good Shepherd.

Tuesday 29th. Consecrated the Church of the Good Shepherd, Paint Creek. The Rev. Dr. Roller preached the sermon. Attended also, on the same day, the closing exercises of the Training School for Nurses and delivered diplomas to six graduates. Also attended the annual meeting of the Corporators and of the Board of Directors of the Sheltering Arms Hospital.

JUNE.

Friday, 1st. Attended the closing exercises of the Training School for Nurses of the Reynolds Memorial Hospital, Glendale, and delivered diplomas to four graduates. Rev. Mr. Molony made the address.

Sunday, 3rd. A. M. and P. M. I preached in the Church of the Good Shepherd, Parkersburg.

SUMMARY.

141 visits paid to 88 places. On 34 ocasions confirmed 194; 220 sermons and addresses. 73 meetings, 23 sermons outside the Diocese.

I have ordained during the year on June 15th., 1905, to the order of Deacons Thomas Getz Hill and Pierce N. McDonald, and to the order of Priests, April 11th, 1906, C. Hely Molony.

Attended also the exercises in connection with the opening of Lippitt Memorial Hall at the Mountain Mission near Charles Town.

I have consecrated three Churches, Grace Ch., St. Marys, Sunday, October 29th, 1905; Church of the Good Shepherd, Parkersburg, Thursday, February 22nd, 1906; Chapel of the Good Shepherd on the Hospital grounds at Paint Creek, Tuesday, May 29, 1906.

I have also during the same time attended four meetings of the Board of Missions in New York; the Missionary Conference at Nashville, Tenn.;

two meetings of the Board of Trustees of the Alexandria Seminary, and one meeting of the Trustees of Kenyon College, Gambier, O., and have paid four official visits to the Hospitals at Paint Creek and Glendale, attending the meetings of the Directors and the Commencement of the Training Schools.

I report to the Council the following regularly organized Missions:

LOCATION.	NAME.	CHURCH.
Ansted	Advent Mission	The Redeemer.
Buckhannon	Upshur County Mission	Transfiguration.
Bramwell	Bramwell Mission	Holy Trinity.
Bunker Hill	Norborne Mission	Christ Church.
Berkeley Springs	Morgan Co. Mission	St. Marks.
Charleston	W. Charleston Mission	St. Lukes.
Charleston	S. Charleston Mission	St. Matthews.
Clover Lick, Marlinton	Madison Mission	Grace.
Davis	Tucker County Mission	St. Barnabas.
Cresaps	Cresaps Valley Mission	Grace.
Eckman	McDowell County Mission	Grace.
Elkins	Randolph County Mission	Grace.
Elm Grove	Elm Grove Mission	St. Pauls.
Grafton	Taylor County Mission	St. Matthias.
Harpers Ferry	Harpers Ferry Mission	St. Johns.
Hinton	New River Mission	Ascension.
Kenova	Wayne County Mission	Grace.
Mannington	Mannington Mission	St. Andrews.
Montgomery	Coal Valley Mission	Calvary.
Okonoko	Hampshire Mission.	
Parkersburg, Tavernersville	Parkersburg Mission	Good Shepherd, Grace.
Powellton	Powellton Mission	St. Davids.
Princeton	Mercer County Mission	Heavenly Rest.
Rippon	Rippon Mission	St. Johns.
Romney	Hampshire County Mission	St. Stephens.
St. Marys	Pleasants County Mission	Grace.
Sutton	Elk River Mission	St. Johns.
Spruce	Spruce Mission	Spruce.
White Sulphur, Dry Creek, Eakles	White Sulphur Mission.	St. Thomas.
Williamstown	Wood County Mission	Christ Memorial.

Postulants and Candidates.

Candidates for Deacons and Priests Orders.

Richard W. Trapnell.

Edmund P. Dandridge. James Davis Gibson.

Candidates for Priests Orders.

Pierce N. McDonald.

Candidate for Holy Orders.

Maurice Clark.

Postulant.

Edgar William Halleck.

CHANGES IN THE DIOCESE.

Letters Dimissory have been given in behalf of *Rev. Geo. C. Shaw* to the Diocese of Maryland, the *Rev. Francis Van R. Moore* to the Diocese of Easton and the *Rev. T. Getz Hill* to the Diocese of Maryland.

The clergy list has been increased by the ordination of to the Deaconate of *Mr. P. N. McDonald* and *Mr. T. Getz Hill.* The *Rev. W. H. Meyers* and the *Rev. C. Hely Molony* have been ordained to the Priesthood.

The *Rev. Guy H. Crook* has resigned Greenbrier Parish and taken charge of the Missions at Elm Grove, made vacant by resignation of the *Rev. Mr. Moore,* and of Mannington. The *Rev. Jacob A. Hiatt* has resigned New River Mission, Hinton, and taken charge of Greenbrier Parish, made vacant by resignation of *Rev. Mr. Crook.* The *Rev. P. N. McDonald* has taken charge of Kanawha Co. Mission, under the general direction of the *Rev. Dr. Roller,* the Rector of the Parish having his headquarters at Paint Creek.

THE SPECIAL FUND.

The receipts for the Bishops Special Fund during the past year have been $1,464.75, of which $192 came from friends outside the Diocese. The places contributing have been as follows:

Anthony	$ 5.00
Buchannon	1.00
Bancroft	5.00
Belington	2.00
Charles Town, Zion	200.00
Charleston, St. Johns	30.00
Clarksburg	5.00
Fairmont	45.00
Fort Spring	40.00
Gary	10.00
Grafton	16.00
Glen Jean	5.00
Holden	6.00
Huntington	72.00
Hillsboro	10.00
Huntersville	3.00
Kenova	1.00
Martinsburg	1.00
Moundsville	15.00
Milton	1.00
Montgomery	100.00
Mova	5.00
Morgantown	5.00
Nuttall	2.00

New Cumberland	10.00	
Parkersburg, Trinity	474.75	
Parkersburg, Good Shepherd	20.00	
Point Pleasant	15.00	
Racine	1.00	
Romney	10.00	
Sutton	5.00	
Willow	20.00	
Wheeling, St. Matthews	200.00	
Wheeling, St. Lukes	105.00	
Weston	5.00	
Weston St. Pauls Church	7.50	
Williamstown	12.00	
Total	$1,464.75	
There has been expended:		
In supplementing salaries of the clergy		$ 750.00
Insurance of Churches		16.74
In Church buildings and Rectories		261.00
Sheltering Arms Hospital		37.00
Church News		20.00
General Missions		25.00
Total		$1,109.24

RECAPITULATION.

Bal. June 1, 1905	$ 461.40
Received from Diocese as above	1,464.75
Received from outside Diocese	192.00
Total	$2,120.15
Expended as above	1,109.24
Balance	$1,010.91

It will be remembered that the appeal for the Special Fund is made in Advent, and that therefore since the receipts are in the early part of the year the Balance now in hand is our resource for the remaining seven months of this year.

HOSPITALS.

Our Hospital work has gone uninterruptedly on during the past year.

At the Sheltering Arms Hospital we have cared for 508 new patients, and 40 left over from last year, and at the Reynolds Memorial Hospital

we have cared for 496 patients in the wards and rooms and 172 by private nursing, making in all a total of 1,216.

Chiefly through the active interest of one of our Directors at the Sheltering Arms, the Rev. Mr. Spurr, there has been erected an electric plant, which greatly promotes efficiency and economy of administration, and the same gentleman has had sunk upon our premises a deep well, which will supply us with an abundance of pure water in place of that we have been accustomed to get from the river, which was generally muddy.

Our work at the Sheltering Arms has developed to such an extent that we propose in the near future to put up new buildings, retaining the old for the abundant uses we will have for them. The erection of a Chapel and Rectory on the grounds chiefly through the great liberality of Mrs. Cochran of New York, ably supplemented by the untiring and judicious personal exertion and superintendance of the Rev. Dr. Roller, one of our Directors, makes Paint Creek the centre of our work in this part of the Valley. Having also a woman worker or Missionary, Miss Fish permanently stationed at this point, we cannot but feel that we are getting well equipped for a larger and more efficient work in every way.

I have in the last ten days been present at the commencements of the training schools for nurses, in connection with the Sheltering Arms and the Reynolds Memorial Hospital. The graduates of the former numbered six and of the latter, four.

INSTITUTIONAL WORK.

In addition to Guilds and Auxiliaries and Parish Aid Societies and the Brotherhood, we have made a beginning of other most important institutional work. As far as the reports have come to me only two congregations, viz., that of the Church of the Good Shepherd, Parkersburg, and the Chapel of the Good Shepherd, Paint Creek, at each of which we have besides a minister in charge a resident woman worker or missionary, are with their own resources attempting anything of this kind. They have sewing and industrial schools, numbering 7 teachers and 82 scholars.

We have, however, in addition to the two Hospitals, each with its Training School for Nurses, which have just been mentioned, a Parochial School in connection with the Church of the Redeemer, Ansted, and one in connection with Christ Church and St. Andrews on the Mountain, near Charles Town. At each of these points we have a minister in charge, and also at each two woman workers, or Missionaries resident. They have about 200 children under their charge. These schools have been erected and sustained largely through the exertions of Rev. Mr. Spurr.

On the mountain near Charles Town Bishop Gravatt has given much care and oversight to the mission work, being greatly indebted to Mr. Perry in the construction, and at Ansted Rev. Mr. Lewis has been untiring in his efforts to advance the work. These enterprises have already greatly

impressed the communities they touch and must result in increasing good.

In speaking particularly about our Diocesan Missions, and the policy of our administration, I must say, in the first place, that we have a great deal to be thankful for in the general attitude of the people of the State towards our church. The prejudice is as little as we could expect, and I am convinced is diminishing year by year. We have been so much taken up with our work and so gratified at the progress we have made during these last twenty-five years, that we hardly realize how small a factor numerically, we are in the religious life of the State. This of itself goes far to account for what we may think lack of appreciation of our Church. The people generally do not know us, and therefore we cannot expect them to think more favorably of us. To show just exactly what the situation is, I give an estimate, I think to be reliable, as to the membership of the various Protestant churches in West Virginia (in round numbers.)

The Presbyterian Church has	9,000	members
The Methodist Church has	104,000	"
The Baptist Church has	44,000	"
The United Brethren Church has	14,000	"
The Evangelical Lutheran Church has	1,300	"
The Christian Church has	20,300	"
The Episcopal Church has	5,000	"

Under these conditions we cannot expect any very great appreciation in West Virginia of the Protestant Episcopal Church. If then the Church is to be known by the people of our State, we are to make it known; there must be a consistent and judicious endeavor to inform the people among whom we live of what may be called the distinctive features of our Church. But you say perhaps, "That goes without saying, why mention it specially?"

Well! for the very simple reason that it is by no means so easy a task as many seem to think, it requires line upon line, here a little and there a little; it requires not only effort, but judicious effort, and a vast discretion. It is no easy task because we are so apt to arouse antagonism and so increase prejudice.

And then you will hardly find a book or pamphlet or tract that is just the thing you want. Some are too long or too elaborate, or too learned, taking for granted what the great mass of the people have never heard of, or failing specially in this, that the writer having given most excellent history and argument, has, in his zeal, thoughtlessly made statements which could not but be taken as a reflection upon, or a slap at those of other Communions. In other words, in spite of all the excellencies of the prescription, these Doctors have offered, there has been after all too often the dead fly that caused it to send forth an unpleasant savor. I have been amazed to find that men, who are supposed to have, in addition to their knowledge of the Church some knowledge of human nature, should make the slips they do, and be so careless of the feelings, and if

you choose prejudices of those they are not trying to beat in argument, but to influence and gain. Believe me, a kindly interest and sympathy is more potent than all the arguments of the schools.

We are not to look for any short and easy method to push on our work, there is none such, we are to do with our might what our hands find to do, and to be at peace among ourselves, and with all them that love the Lord Jesus Christ in sincerity and truth. Of this me may be sure, that the best argument for the Church is the Church herself, and then we must inform the public as to the history and distinctive features of our Church. But we are to do it kindly and judiciously, otherwise better not try to do so at all. Why should we import such words as sectarian and dissenter into our sermons and conversations? to say nothing of their anachronism and inaccuracy, they always do harm. Nor should we assert our churchmanship in terms stronger than the Church herself uses. What satisfies her ought to satisfy us. My earnest advice is to stick to the Prayer Book statements and phrases and terminology; then, however strenuously we may maintain our distinctive features, the general impression we make will be such that people will be attracted rather than repelled.

Further let me say that in providing for our Diocesan Missionary fields, we have drifted more and more into what, for lack of a better name, we call the circuit system, and I don't mean by that simply that a man has more than one point under his charge, but that he has four or five or six or more. It would perhaps be hard to say just to what extent we have been influenced by the merits of the system, and to what extent by the necessities of the case. The system has merits or advantages, and the case has necessities, we cannot ignore. In dealing with a question like this, we are confronted by a condition, not a theory. As a matter of fact our church people are widely scattered, and in small bands, in many communities. The mass of our population knows little and perhaps cares less about a Church that is so little known; every now and then I come across persons who never before had heard of our Church. Money is scarce, men are scarce, and to wait for more favorable conditions and opportunity would be in many cases to give up work altogether, or at least until our few representatives in any given community had been merged into other churches and so altogether disappeared. The question is rather, What can we do? Simply this, We are to care for our scattered people, if not as thoroughly and regularly as we would like to do, yet in such a way that they may recognize our care, and that we may meet our obligations and check the process of disintegration which, in neglected communities of church people, is sure to go on.

You notice I speak of our small scattered bands, and so I do because it is not our custom to go into a town, simply because it is a town and start a mission, without considering whether we have any constituency there or not. But, on the other hand, we would not willingly neglect any band of church people, however poor or few in number. Now, under the con-

ditions that prevail in West Virginia, we have found no way in which such work, among small and scattered bands, can be carried on except through what we call the circuit system. Even now, after twenty-eight years of hard work, we have only 54 places that have as many as 25 communicants; and 19 that have over 50; 11 over 100. And in many of the smaller places and they are by far the greater number, there seems no prospect for materially increasing in any short time the number of communicants. Yet they all together form a network of such a character, that the church, although still comparatively very weak, is getting to be widely and I will say favorably known.

I repeat what has already been said, that some of our clergy have not only more than one, but four, five, six, seven or eight stations. You will say that this is to spread them out very thin. I cannot deny it, but what then? Are we to abandon our scattered people altogether because we cannot minister to them more efficiently? We say, No! a half loaf is better than none at all, and we think we should be distinct losers, if instead of thus scattering our ministrations, we should concentrate them on a few places, which would after all, be of no greater consequence and have no greater population than those abandoned.

We have in more than one instance so combined a half dozen or more stations that they support themselves, and this is a great help to the general work. We have now 26 Diocesan Missionaries on our list, and our appropriations are about $4,000 per annum—the Diocese receiving no aid from the General Church, save $400 for work among the colored people, and $250 from the Woman's Auxiliary Fund for a woman missionary.

Of course the circuit system, like all others has its limitations, but I believe that they are wider than most of our church people have ever recognized. Sometimes we can have for a station only one service a month, and that on a week night; we go from that all the way up; and, of course, there are some points we can only reach semi-occasionally; but we find that it pays, yes, pays well, and I speak from experience when I say that there are no more encouraging places to visit than these outposts.

Another important consideration, that can not be ignored when we are considering the reasons for holding to the circuit system, is that the results which follow the resident minister and the more frequent service so naturally desired, do not, I find, generally correspond to the anticipation; and one very obvious reason is that the population in the points reached is not only small but already parcelled out to the other church organizations, which perhaps dominate the community, and so are well calculated to hold their own membership, and attract others to affiliate with them.

Where you have got centres of population, there of course you must seek to lay broader foundations, for there you will not only find a larger number of unattached and unaffiliated people, but also of course a larger

number of those what naturally gravitate towards our church when they come to know of it, i. e., really get acquainted with it, and I estimate that number as from 2 to 5 per cent of the population. But where you have only the population of a small village or town to deal with you cannot expect very great results in gains to our particular communion. You must remember that while you may think, and rightly, that you can show to the people of differing names, with whom you come in contact a more excellent way, and I believe that we can, yet they also have their church attachments and associations, and strange as it may seem to you, they are about as strong as your own. If you have in charge of a mission a man who is pleasant and genial in society, and attractive in the pulpit, others will speak well of him, and come sometimes, perhaps frequently, to your services, and that no doubt is a point gained; but, after all, it does not by any means follow that such persons come to your church, or help to support it, and the general cause may suffer from not dividing up the ministrations that cannot be multiplied.

The simple truth is that in a country like ours where we have so many men of so many minds and independent too of precedent and public opinion, we must not have unreasonable expectations as to drawing the crowd over to us, it will not soon be. Without being pessimistic let us acknowledge that in most cases our growth is going to be slow, and that even after years of faithful work, except perhaps in very exceptional cases, we cannot expect to be more than one of the various churches which claim the allegiance of the community where we live. And this is all the more to be noted because the spreading out of a liturgy will provide members of other communions that which before they were compelled to seek in ours. We might as well understand that we are not going to sweep the community into our Church. Whatever the future may have in store for us, yet as a matter or fact our Church is not at the present time absorbing all the rest. We have our part to do and our witness to bear, and you may attach what importance to it you please, but you must not be discouraged if you find after years of faithful labor that the relative positions of the various churches in your community remains about the same. At all events, and this is my point, it seems to us better to keep up these infrequent services, monthly or bi-monthly in many places, rather than to concentrate in a few communities which are, after all, too small and unimportant to give results compensating for the abandonment of others.

There is, moreover, one thing to be observed, that in addition to the work of forming congregations and building churches, we have a work to do, specially our own, in the matter of leading the whole community, whether they belong to us or not, into a larger appreciation of our Church and her ways, into clearer recognition of the Church idea, of acquaintance with the Church year, knowledge of the historic continuity of the Church, and familiarity with Liturgical worship, and this last, as already said,

they are now learning. So even though we see no immediate result of our labors in organized congregations and church buildings, we may be casting bread upon the waters which we shall find after many days. I cannot fail to notice too that in caring for the children, in schools, parochial, industrial and sewing schools, in all institutional work, we seem with few exceptions practically to have the field to ourselves.

And having said this much I want to add that it is not to be understood that we consider these large circuits involving as they do infrequent services, extending over such a wide area and thus making too great demands upon the time and energy and means of our clergy, as an altogether ideal arrangement. I would rather say, it is good for the present distress.

I remember once hearing Bishop Brewer plead for another man he wanted to crowd into a vacant space of 200 miles in extent. We have been and are continually trying to do that very thing; e. g., when I came to the Diocese in 1878 I found in the whole territory west of the Valley of Virginia, i. e., in more than 19-20 of the state in nearly 24,000 square miles out of 24,654, six men engaged in active work—that was one man to every 4,000 square miles and to every 100,000 people. We have during these years managed to crowd in 27 others, so that now we have in the same territory 33 in all, or one to every 700 square miles, and to every 28,000 population, and we are still working along this line, free to acknowledge that our circuits are still too large, but yet not driven by sentimental or selfish considerations or by over sanguine schemes for development, to attempt to break up these circuits too rapidly, lest we leave a great number of our people unprovided with services, and to incur again the danger of the disintegration that was steadily going on when the Diocese was formed, or lest in trying to get new men, we unduly diminish the support of the men we already have. In West Virginia we attempt to cover the whole territory, every man is supposed to touch elbows with his neighbor, and so between them to care not only for all the scattered bands, but for all the scattered individual members of our flock. This, as already intimated, is a great tax upon time and energy, to say nothing of expense, and, of course, the result varies according to the varying conditions, and the missionary zeal, and activity and tact of the different missionaries.

In a word we have found this circuit system if not ideal, yet the best we could adopt under the prevailing conditions, and we are constantly trying to diminish the size of the circuits, and to crowd additional men into the long drawn battle line, which we still think best to hold lightly, rather than not at all.

I grant you that this is often exhausting work for our men, but I believe that there is a growing sentiment among the clergy, that in this matter, we are working along the only feasible and, therefore, the most promising lines.

SELF HELP.

I come now to consider the very important matter of the development of self help, and that from the very first. I consider it a fundamental,

vital principle that each place should take care of itself just as far as it can, and that for this end constant pressure be brought to bear upon it, and that the help they get from any Missionary Fund, should bear some just proportion to what they do for themselves.

Now there are many reasons for this, moral, spiritual, economic; the more I see of the general working of missionary stations, the greater I think the danger of fostering a spirit of dependance in them. Many of them, no doubt, do the best they can, and we must not judge any of them hastily or harshly, but the continued dependence year after year is not good for any people, and at least shows that the prospect of growth is not as bright as was expected. How often has the plea been urged that help for a year or two, will make a place self supporting, and sometimes it does, but more frequently, owing no doubt greatly to the shifting of the population, and the smallness of the constituency, such place will need our nursing care for years, perhaps for many years. So it comes to pass that the Diocesan Committee and the Bishop, judging from similar cases what is apt to be the result, are compelled to make provision for such places on a scale somewhat less generous than the sanguine expectations of the people lead them to expect. And, strange as it may be, it is sometimes the case that the missions do not seem able to grasp the fact that the Diocesan Committee ever comes to the end of its resources of men or money. It is then a serious question whether we consider the stations themselves or others that are continually coming into competition with them for appropriations, with how much service we ought to supply them over and above their ability and willingness to pay for it. We may err now in one direction and now in another, but of this we may all the time be very sure that it is not so much what the Church does for people that binds them to it, but what they do for the Church. It would, I believe, in the long run often be better to take four or five years in organizing and building by local effort, than to do it at once by outside help. Especially when you find that many are by no means willing to build according to their means—but insist on something much beyond them, in other words insist upon building on what the Rev. R. H. Mason used to call the O. P. M. principle—other people' money. You may depend upon it that the pouring of money into mission fields, is by no means always an unmixed good, and even in our case where we are not in much danger of this, yet we may well be on our guard, lest in our effort to strengthen we actually weaken. In this matter the leadership of the Diocesan Committee must be distinct and courageous, but not of such a kind as to destroy the idea of sympathy.

And I must say further that I think the separation of the business of the congregation from its offerings or contributions would aid greatly in developing this self help. There are current expenses connected with every congregation that have to be paid, and when we help to do this we are paying, yes, paying for something we get in return. All this is more or less contract, bargain, business, and I would banish it all from God's

House and God's Day. I say let the matter be relegated to the congregation acting by means of its officers, let them manage this business in places of business and not in the Church, manage it by business methods and not by taking advantage of the assembling of the people to worship God and to hear His Word. Let them do this, and leave the Lord's House and the Lord's Day for offerings for missionary and benevolent purposes, and for the wider maintenance and extension of the Kingdom.

But why do I mention this here—Well not to expound the system, though I am everywhere pressing it in West Virginia, but because I think it has a direct bearing upon the question of self support, and it is in this way—the dependence upon the offertory for current expenses, not only cripples the Church for aggressive work, but it is, in itself, delusive and vain, and so because it is a very uncertain dependence, leading vestries to discount the future while it fails to call out the relative strength of those from whom the collection is actually made, so that oftentimes the faithful but weak members, who are constantly present, bear more than their share of the common burden, because of the absence of those who are just as strong as they. For say what you will about what is called the envelope system, which with most persons means the collection of current expenses by means of envelopes put on the plate at our public services; yet a great many people, by reason of frequent absence, escape their fair share of such expense time and again. And then more than this, and specially, dependence upon a collection deadens the sense of individual responsibility. Every man is merged in the crowd, and if there be deficiency, he is apt to blame the congregation, rather than consider how far he may be personally responsible for the failure, or whether his own position and means are not such that he ought to give double or treble or ten fold what he usually gives.

Of course, to manage these business matters in a business-like way, requires time and labor and judgment. It is no light work to canvass a congregation and keep it canvassed, and collect subscriptions, but for a congregation to decline such task is virtually to confess that they are not worthy to live. There is an old Scripture rule that finds application here, "If any man will not work neither let him eat." We cannot continue to carry those who make no reasonable effort to help themselves, and I doubt whether we ought to do so, even if we can. And then remember that a great many of our missionary congregations are so small that to keep them well in hand would not be so serious a matter after all.

Nor should we fail to mention how much a Diocese is strengthened by the promotion of a strong *esprit de corps* throughout its borders, and the cultivation of a good understanding and a cordial sympathy between the clergy individually, and also between the stronger churches, and the missions and outposts. And this can be done in many ways, not only by the time and consideration the Bishop gives to the smaller places, but also, and I think I may say specially, by the larger congregations freely

offering their pulpits to their missionary brethren pleading for special needs.

In addition to all this, I believe it would greatly strengthen a proper *esprit de corps*, and so greatly help the Diocese, if as occasion offered the local clergy were preferred from station to mission, and from mission to larger congregation. I know that a prophet is not without honor save in his own country, but for all that it would immensely encourage that local prophet and strengthen his hands, if he could sometimes feel that he had some appreciation among his own people, i. e., with the Bishops, the clergy, the congregations of his own Diocese. I know that oftentimes this cannot be done, and what a good thing it would be when it could be done. What a strength it would be to a Diocese to have its strong churches filled by those who had in their early days ministered in its missions and at the outposts. Would not this draw out the active sympathy and support of the stronger churches for our Diocesan mission work, in a wonderful manner? A more accurate knowledge of general conditions would everywhere be diffused, interest would grow, and help develop.

And I believe the Convocations are important agencies to develop and strengthen this *esprit de corps*. In West Virginia, one of the Bishops attends each Convocation, and stays through the session, not presiding, but simply taking part.

There are also most important considerations touching the mental, moral and spiritual qualifications of the workers in the field. We cannot now dwell upon them, for the demand for such qualities is not peculiar to the mission field, they are needed everywhere. It will be well to remember also that we cannot expect the same measure of what we call success for every one. God does not give to every man the same number of talents—to one five, to another two, to another one. Such is the divine method of distribution. All cannot, therefore, expect to be equally efficient in such exacting and difficult work. But then remember God does not exact what we call success of any man. It is only this after all, "In stewards it is required that a man be found faithful."

Let me sum up what I have tried to say:

1. We need to exercise great diligence and care that the people among whom we labor should be properly informed as to the distinctive features of our Church, and in doing this to take care that we do not exalt our own notions, and preferences, and tastes into articles of Faith into Church principles. After more than sixty years acquaintance with the use of the Prayer Book I make bold to say it, there is nothing in that Prayer Book to offend anyone; but I fear there is that in the general tone and conversation of many who use the Prayer Book, which may justly give offense.

2. In this time of present distress it seems that the best we can do for many of our people is to continue something like the circuit system. I go so far as to say that even if some of our little bands should have the ability to sustain a minister as for themselves alone, it is a serious

question how far they should do it if it is going to result in the exclusion from the privilege of the church services for others less fortunate and perhaps with largeer promise of growth. That matter will, however, generally regulate itself, for competent men cannot often be gotten to limit their activities to such small fields. But when a number of these small fields are under one charge, then during the month the minister comes in contact with a good many—perhaps a thousand people—and represents the Church in a large section of country, and that is now the case with six or eight of our missionaries. There is something inspiring in such a position, and this responsibility put upon a man develops him and binds him closer to his work and to the Church, and he sometimes comes, before he is aware of it, the most prominent man in a great section of country.

3. We must do everything we can to develop self help among our people, even within its smallest bands, and this because it is entirely possible that a great deal of the help that is extended to the mission fields fosters a spirit of dependence, and so counteracts, to some extent at least, the good effected. Every one who has had experience in such matters will testify that when once people get accustomed to receiving aid, it becomes very difficult for them to give it up, and this is urged with a full knowledge of the needs and difficulties of the smaller places. As one means to this end, I would emancipate the offertory from all charges for current expenses, not only for general reasons, aggressive, &c., but specially for local reasons, in order to throw the responsibility for support more directly upon the people, and not suffer the individual members to lose themselves in the congregation, as they are disposed to do when a collection is taken up for local needs.

4. Finally, I would by every proper means cultivate a spirit of *esprit de corps* in the Diocese, get the different men and congregations to stand together for local work, and to take pride in the standing of the Diocese as a whole, in the general work of the Church; develop sympathy between the strong churches and the missions and outposts, and as one way of doing it, I would so administer that the missionary in even the smallest field shall feel that, other things being equal, he is in the line of promotion for a larger Church in the Diocese. The clergy, it is said, are somewhat inclined to be restless and dissatisfied. I do not deny but that sometimes it is so, but I think that the greater acquaintance we have with the conditions under which they labor, we shall have greater admiration for their faithfulness and devotion.

Undoubtedly, the Diocesan Missionary work is the backbone of the Diocese, certainly in jurisdictions like West Virginia. We must try and develop more enthusiasm in it, and to that end put more system and vigor in the work, largely increase its support, and show more consideration for the workers.

Let the people realize that it is not what the Church does for them, but rather what they do for the Church that binds them to her, and let it

be manifest from the intercourse between man and man, from the whole tone of our Councils, and from the general administration, that the larger churches and the Missionary Committee and the settled Pastors in the stronger congregations and the Bishops honor the Missionary and feel that the laborer is worthy of his hire.

When the story of the development and growth of a Diocese is fairly written up, it will be found that the name of the Diocesan Missionary stands at the head of the list.

I think that this is the proper time, after having so fully expressed my views on Diocesan Missions, to say, for the information of the Diocese, that I propose to turn over the administration of the missionary work in the Diocese to Bishop Gravatt, and I do it not to avoid work or responsibility but—as I believe, in the interests of a more vigorous and efficient service. In the six or seven years during which he has shared the Episcopate with me, he has acquired such knowledge of our Diocesan work throughout our wide bounds that he is fully prepared to take up and carry on that work in which he has already had a large and a constantly increasing part.

I cannot leave this subject without noting the large encouragement we have in prosecuting Missionary work in the Diocese, notwithstanding the fact that the frequent changes of population seems often to keep our list of communicants at about the same number, as I believe it will appear this year. To show the returns we get from our Missionary work that seems so scattered, one of the clergy has put in my hands a comparison running through ten years, i. e., from 1895 to 1905, of the self supporting parishes and the rest of the Diocese—and although in these ten years some of the Missions have passed over into the list of self supporting charges, yet I believe the comparison to be substantially correct. The statistics are as follows: In 1895 there were in the self supporting parishes 3,628 baptized persons; in 1905 there were 3,797, an increase of 4½ per cent, while in the rest of the field, i. e., in that part aided by our Missionary Funds the baptized persons increased from 3,508 to 4,408, a gain of 24½ per cent. Again in 1895 there were in the self supporting parishes 1,929 communicants, in 1905 there were 2,405, an increase of 24½ per cent. While in the rest of the field, i. e., in the part aided by our Missionary funds, the communicants increased from 1,851 to 2,586, a gain of 39½ per cent. The general result justifies the Missionary administration.

It is also particularly gratifying to be able to state to the Council that whereas at our last meeting, when we released the General Board from further care of our Missionaries, I secured pledges aggregating $1,000 in order to secure our Missionaries from loss, that so far instead of being compelled to call on those pledges the Diocese has paid all its Missionary appropriations from current receipts and has in hand more than enough to meet the July payments. It has in short, as the Treasurer's Report

will show, broken the record of all previous years. This result I attribute to the generally increased sense of responsibility developed by our independent position, coupled with our continued though gradual growth, and also to the admirable plan followed out by the Church News in keeping this whole matter constantly and distinctly before the minds of our people.

I do not think it to be at all necessary that I should at this time discuss the questions that have recently claimed so much the attention of the public in connection with the heresy trial in the Diocese of Western New York. The greatest forbearance was shown to the offender, indeed until it ceased to be a virtue, and it was only after his repeated and distinct avowals of a belief squarely opposite to the belief and principles of the church as asserted in the Creeds, which he himself recited in the service, and taught his people to recite, that the church has proceeded against him. The religious and secular press has generally recognized that the verdict shows no evidence of any spirit of intolerance or persecution. As one of our Bishops has said, "The most tolerant church on earth cannot push toleration to self destruction," and self destruction it would certainly be to retain in fellowship and good standing those who distinctly throw over the church's authority and publicly and repeatedly deny the facts and dogmas of the Creeds. In the shape which this matter has assumed, it has come to be recognized largely as a question of morals—not so much theological as ethical—to put arbitrary and novel meaning upon words of the Creeds, which have had through the Christian centuries among all the Churches a generally accepted and historical meaning, is to say the least—(adopting a newspaper comment)—"to display a mental confusion which would excite the ridicule of the bar, and a moral confusion which would not be tolerated in Wall Street." When a man departs so far from the ancient Creeds as to deny the facts and dogmas they set forth and assert,—and that is certainly done by explaining away the usually accepted and historical meaning of the words—then to use the language of another, he cannot possibly make the continued repetition of words which express those facts and dogmas in the solemn language of prayer, and the impressive dignity of the Creeds he cannot make such language, square with the cardinal principals of sincerity and spiritual responsibility for which religion stands. Let our prayers be more fervent from all false doctrine, heresy and schism, Good Lord deliver us.

The Rev. H. H. Phelps, from a Committee, appointed by the Kanawha Convention, presented this memorial. The accompanying resolutions were adopted:

The Kanawha Convocation at its meeting in Trinity Church, Huntington in February last (1906) had under consideration the subject of Making Provision for the Education of the Daughters of the Clergy in Private and Church Schools. In the debate then had it appeared that there was

a desire that there should be scholarships entitling to the rights and privileges of such private and Church Schools the Daughters of the Clergy and none others.

The Convocation could come to no definite action beyond *recognizing the justice* of the plea of the Clergy for such provision available for their Daughters alone, and the importance of making an effort to increase, if they exist, or to found such scholarships—scholarships which shall be for the exclusive use of the Daughters of the Clergy of the Protestant Episcopal Church, and the income of which shall pay all expenses, except clothing, of such scholarship holders.

The committee consisting of Rev. H. H. Phelps and Rev. John S. Gibson appointed to bring this subject to the attention of the Council of the Diocese at its session in June, 1906, request therefore that the Council adopt the following resolution:

Resolved: The 29th Annual Council of the Diocese of West Virginia recommends to those to whom has been committed the stewardship of competent means, that they endow with sums sufficient for all expenses scholarships in our various Church Schools; which scholarships shall be for the exclusive use and benefit of the Daughters of Clergymen of the Protestant Episcopal Church, first of the Diocese of West Virginia, and, if there be none to enjoy it for the time being, then for the daughters of clergymen of said Church in either of the Virginia Dioceses.

H. H. PHELPS,
JNO. S. GIBSON,
Committee.

The report of the Treasurer of the Diocese was received and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Mr. W. S. Laidley for the Committee on Rights of Laity to Seats, presented this report, and a motion to adopt, was made.

Report of Committee on Credentials to the Council, on the certificate of election of Maurice Clark from Ansted, Fayette Co., W. Va., to the Rt. Rev. G. W. Peterkin, President &c:

We, the undersigned, appointed to report on the resolutions in reference to the certificate of election of Maurice Clark, as Lay delegate from the Mission of Ansted, W. Va., beg leave to report the following:

That Maurice Clark is twenty-four (24) years of age, that he has resided in this Diocese more than one year, that he has resided at Ansted since the 9th March, 1906, that the Rev. Mr. Lewis is the minister in charge of the Church or Parish or Mission in Fayette Co.

That Mr. Maurice Clark was sent by the Bishop to Ansted, that he is a candidate for Holy Orders, but has not been ordained, but that he preaches at the Church at Ansted each Sunday.

We further find that he is a communicant of the Church in good standing,

And that he was elected as a delegate by the Vestry of said Mission station and that his certificate is in good form.

Constitution Act III., Sec. 3, provides: Missions may be represented in the Council subject to such conditions as may be imposed by Canon—by Lay delegates—that is, one Lay delegate for each Mission.

Such delegate shall be a male communicant, and a resident in the territory he represents, duly chosen as directed by Canon.

By Canon 3 we find that each organized mission is entitled to one Lay delegate, that he shall have attained the age of 21 years—shall be duly elected by the Vestry and a certificate of their election either by the Rector, Wardens or Registrar, or by all of them and sent to the Sec. of the council.

We report that all these conditions have been complied with.

Our attention has been called to the provisions of the Canons of the General Church which might bear upon this subject. We find in Canon 4, Sec. V., page 22, the following:

"*A candidate for Holy Orders shall not be a deputy to the General Convention.*"

We find no other Canon bearing on the subject. We do not think that the above Canon nas any effect upon the matter before us in any way.

The General Convention may determine who may be its delegates—and our council will determine who may be delegates thereto (unless there is something in the General Canons to prevent) and we find none.

We therefore report that Maurice Clark is a legally elected delegate to this Council and is entitled to his seat therein as such delegate—unless there is some ecclesiastical law that pervents him from being a Layman, even though he is not an ordained Clergyman, and we are not advised of any such law, and think that he is a layman until he becomes a Clergyman, and that he does not become a clergyman until he has been ordained as such, as provided by law.

We further report that if he is a clergyman, that under Art. III, Sec. 2, of our Constitution, he is entitled to a seat in this Council.

All of which is respectfully submitted.

June 6, 1906.

W. S LAIDLEY,
C. A. MILLER,
B. BRYAN.

Pending the discussion, a recess was taken for divine service.

2:30 P. M.

The Council was called to order. Bishop Gravatt in the Chair.

Mr. J. C. Brady offered the following amendment to the Canons,

which was referred to the Committee on Constitution and Canons: Add to Section 3 of Art. iii of the Constitution these words: And no postulant nor candidate for Holy Orders shall be eligible as a delegate.

The Rev. Mr. Gibson offered the following resolution, as a subtitute for the report of the Committee on the Rights of the Laity to Seats:

Resolved, That the Council invite Mr. M. Clark, a candidate for Holy Orders, to a seat upon the floor of the house.

A motion was made and lost to lay the report of the Committee on the table.

Capt. W. B. Colston moved the previous question, which was ordered.

The Bishop then put the question on the adoption of the report of the Committee, which was adopted.

On motion of the Rev. Dr. Roller, the Hon. W. W. Old, fraternal delegate from the Diocese of Southern Virginia, was invited to present his message, relating to a memorial to the Rev. Robert Hunt.

After a very interesting address giving the details of the inception and progress of this work towards the Jamestoown memorial, fortified by the formal action of the Diocese of Southern Virginia, the following resolution was adopted:

Resolved: We, the Council of the Diocese of West Virginia, have heard with much gratification from Mr. W. W. Old of the Diocese of So. Va., of the purpose to erect an enduring monument to commemorate the life and labors of Rev. Robt. Hunt, the priest of the first permanent settlement of the English upon American soil at Jamestown, Va., and empower the Bishop of West Virginia to appoint a committee to co-operate with the other Dioceses in Virginia in planing and erecting a suitable memorial.

The Committee on Parocial Reports, presented their report as follows:

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON PAROCHIAL REPORTS.

Your Committee begs to submit the following tabulation of vital statistics from the reports of parishes in the Diocese which have been placed in their hands:

Baptisms	363
Confirmations	351
Marriages	169
Burials	233

Communicants	4,563
Individuals in parish	7,916
Total number of children in Sunday School	2,839
Total offerings in Sunday School	$ 3,293.63
Contributions for objects within the parishes	$14,706.25
Contributions for objects within the Diocese	$12,197.44
Contributions for objects without the Diocese	$ 5,739.57
Disbursements for Current expenses	$54,026.50
Cash on hand	$12,496.99
Total	$99,166.75

(This item includes certain sums held for buildings in process of erection, endowment, etc., amounting to a total of $6,979.19, leaving a balance of cash on hand in the parishes, exclusive of such items, of $5,517.80.)

The following parishes and Mission Stations not reporting this year, reported last year the numbers of communicants and Sunday Scholars indicated:

Ronceverte, White Sulphur and points adjacent; Elm Grove, New Cumberland Mission, Mannington, Grafton, Scattering Communicants, 447; Sunday Scholars 180.

This would make the total number of communicants this year 5,010, as compared with 5,124, reported last year; a loss of 114.

Similarly, as to the Sunday Schools, the total this year would be 3,019, an increase of 16.

Your Committee, in rendering this report would respectfully state that:

The total number of individuals is rendered misleading and in our opinion practically valueless, as a basis of comparison with the number of communicants, by the fact that a great many reports give returns under one head and none under the other.

We would recommend: 1. That the Council appoint a permanent Committee on parochial reports, in order that this work may be done with the knowledge that can only come by experience.

2. That the clergy in charge at more than one point be requested to summarize their reports, in order that the Committee may do their work more expeditiously during the session of the Council.

3. That the Secretary of the Council be requested to change the word *total* to the words *total number enrolled* in the report of Sunday Schools, for the purpose of producing uniformity in reports. Apparently, some report the number enrolled while others give only the numbers in attendance. This change would correct any misapprehension on that point.

Respectfully submitted,

JAMES F. PLUMMER,
J. HOWARD GIBBONS,
JOEL A. SHREWSBURY,
Committee.

On motion, the report of the Committee on Parocial Reports was made the order of the day for 9:30 a. m., tomorrow.

The Council adjourned.

Friday, June 8, 1906.
9:30 A. M.

The Council was called to order by the Bishop. Prayer was said by the Rev. G. A. Gibbons.

The minutes of the previous day were read and approved.

The order of the day was taken up and the first recommendation of the Committee was not adopted.

The second and third recommendations were adopted.

The Rev. Mr. Gibson made this report upon the amendment to the Constitution.

The vote was taken up by orders and the amendment adopted, but will lie over for final action at the next Council.

The Committee on Constitution and Canons respectfully reports that it recommends the adoption of the proposed amendment to Art. III., Sec. 3, adding after the word Canon in the last line the following: "And no postulant or candidate for Holy Orders shall be eligible as a delegate."

The Rev. Dr. Moore presented the report of the Diocesan Missionary Committee, as folows:

REPORT OF THE EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE OF THE DIOCESAN MISSIONARY SOCIETY.

The address of the Bishop, read before the Council this morning, has presented the subject of Diocesan Missions in so complete, careful and exhaustive manner that your Committee feels it to be unnecessary to add much to what he has said so much more forcibly than we can possibly present it. We have done little, therefore, beyond collecting in concise form the information which can be gathered from a study of the Treasurer's report. From this we learn that our receipts during the year from all sources have been $3,767.14—a sum slightly in excess of those of last year—which your Committee believes to have been considerable larger than the contributions of any preceding year to this work. This, with a balance in the treasury last year of $1,071.21, gave us a working capital for the year of $4,838.35. Our expenditures for the year have been $3,-396.75, of which about $100 may be charged to costs of administration and the remainder has been used in the maintenance of our work.

With this sum 19 men have been aided in the various Missionary fields of the Diocese, all of whom with the exception of one are still engaged in our Diocesan Missionary work. The balance, with which we start the new fiscal year, is $1,441.60, nearly $400 in excess of that of last year, of which, however, a greater portion, i. e., nearly $1,000, will be needed to pay the stipends due on the first of July.

In view of the fact that the Council of 1905 decided to relinquish the aid of the General Board in our work the Bishop felt it to be necessary to secure conditional pledges from a few gentlemen amounting in the aggregate to $1,000, as a resource in case of need, but the results above stated have been reached without calling for these pledges. Your Committee feels it to be a subject of hearty congratulation to the Council and the Diocese that in this the first year of our practical independence of aid from sources without the Diocese toward the maintenance and support of our Missionaries in their work, the contributions have been so liberal and the work has been so well sustained. But it is not a time to relax our efforts; rather let us gird up our loins so that we may be strengthened for the accomplishment of greater things.

In the Mission field three churches have been consecrated during the year, that at St. Marys, built some years ago and cleared of debt during the year past; the beautiful Memorial Church of the Good Shepherd at Parkersburg and that at Paint Creek upon the grounds of the Sheltering Arms Hospital.

The Rev. A. G. Grinnan submitted this report on the State of the Church:

The Committee on the State of the Church, begs leave to submit the following report:

Loyal to her great Captain and true to her title, the Church in the Diocese of West Virginia has taken no backward step in the past year. "Militant" she has been in name and in deed, throwing herself with great earnestness and determination into the battles that are being fought for truth and righteousness. Our lines are being continually extended, new vantage points are being gained, our forces are being steadily and healthily increased, and what is most important, we are working together in perfect unity. The prophecy of old is being fulfilled in our day when many are turning to us and saying, "We will go with you, for we have heard that God is with you."

We have every reason to feel greatly encouraged not only from what we have accomplished in the past and are doing in the present, but also because of the greater plans that we have laid for the days that are to come. Just as the tree that shoots forth no new leaves and sends out no new branches is dead, so the church that is not going forward and looking forward to greater things is practically lifeless. But when we look upon this Diocese and consider what she has accomplished in the past 28 years and what she is planning for the future, we are sure of one thing,

she is not dead. Growth is manifest in every direction, and we are enthusiastically led forward by the vision of the things that are to be ours when we have faithfully fought the fight that is before us.

At the end of this first year in which we have received no help from the General Missionary Board, except for the work among the colored people, we find things in a most encouraging and gratifying condition. We have been more than able to take care of our own Missionary work, and while spending less in our own parishes we have been none the less liberal to the Master's cause beyond our own bounds—which is a most healthy and encouraging sign.

The increase in confirmations, Sunday School enrollment and communicants shows that our clergy who have been untiring in their efforts to extend the bounds of the Kingdom, have been rewarded with many souls for their hire.

Is it to be wondered that we have made such progress and have been so materially and spiritually blessed, and feel so encouraged when we remember the character of the faithful Bishops that are leading us forward? When we hear their most assuring and encouraging words, who is he who cannot catch somewhat of their enthusiasm and zeal, and be inspired to press forward for the prize.

As a Diocese we have great reason for returning thanks to the giver of all good and perfect gifts, that He has been pleased to grant unto us such a measure of prosperity, and we beseech Him to continue to bless us as in past years, giving us grace to show our gratitude in sincere obedience to His laws and in manfully fighting the battle that is set before us.

Respectfully submitted,

ANDREW G. GRINNAN,
E. H. BROSIUS,
PEEBLES TATUM,
EDWARD D. IRVINE,
W. B. COLSTON.

The Rev. W. P. Chrisman gave a cordial invitation to the Council to meet in Moundsville, which was accepted.

The Rev. H. H. Phelps moved that the Council set apart a day of its session to Missionary reports, to addresses by laymen and and clergymen. It was laid on the table.

The Rev. Mr. Gibson offered this resolutioon, which was adopted:

Resolved: That the Board of Trustees of the Funds for Aged and Disabled Clergy and the widows and orphans of Deceased Clergymen as con-

stituted in 1905 by Canon 16 enter at once upon the administration of their trust and make report to the next Annual Council.

The Council took a recess.

2:30 P. M.

The Bishop called the Council to order.

The Rev. E. H. Brosius moved to amend Canon 3 by inserting the words, "and has been for six months last past a bone fide member" between the words "good standing" and the words "parish congregation, &c." Referred to the Committee on Constitution and Canons.

The Rev. W. P. Chrisman presented this report on Sunday Schools:

REPORT OF THE COMMITTEE ON SUNDAY SCHOOLS.

SCHOOLS IN THE DIOCESE.

Last reported	57	
Present Number	61	
Total Gain		4

TEACHERS.

Last Reported	416	
Present Number	393	
Total Loss		23

SCHOLARS.

Last Reported	3087	
Present Number	2996	
Total Loss		91

OFFERINGS.

For Diocesan Missions last year (from 35 schools)	$ 465 49	
For Diocesan Missions this year (from 40 schools)	591 48	
Total Increase		$ 125 99
Lenten Offering last year (from 45 schools)	$ 943 38	
Lenten Offering this year (from 46 schools)	$1520 79	
Total Increase		$ 128 99

Other Offerings last year	$1520 79	
Other Offerings this year	$1533 80	
Total Increase		$ 13 01
Grand Total of Money raised last year for all purposes.		$2929 66
Grand Total of money raised this year for all purposes.		$3197 65
Total Increase		$ 267 99

W. P. CHRISMAN,
C. E. SHAW.

The Rev. Dr. Moore offered this resolution, which was adopted:

Resolved, That the name of Fairmont be inserted in the Journal in the list of places where the Council shall meet and the year 1910 designated for the meeting in that city, the dates for the places listed after that year being appropriately changed.

Mr. C. L. Thompson offered this resolution:

Mr. Thompson moved that the Secretary be authorized to appoint an assistant and that the compensation of the Secretary be increased to $200.00 per year, and that the Secretary pay his assistant out of the allowance made him.

The Rev. Dr. Roller moved that it be referred to the Committee on Finance. Adopted.

The Rev. Mr. Howard moved that the Secretary employ an assistant to help in his work during the meetings of Council at a compensation not to exceed five dollars per diem. Referred to the Committee on Finance.

The following Committees were elected, to-wit:

MISSIONARY COMMITTEE.

Rev. J. Brittingham.
Mr. B. M. Ambler.
Rev. J. F. Plummer.
Mr. Simms Powell.
Rev. S. S. Moore, D. D.
Mr. L. E. Sands, Treasurer.

STANDING COMMITTEE ON CONSTITUTION AND CANONS.

Rev. Jno. S. Gibson.
Mr. W. S. Laidley.
Rev. D. W. Howard.
Mr. Joseph Trapnell.
Rev. J. S. Douglas.

COMMITTEE ON EDUCATION.

Rev. G. W. Easter.
Mr. J. C. Jefferds.
Rev. J. Howard Gibbons.
Rev. A. M. Lewis.
Mr. C. L. Thompson.

COMMITTEE ON SUNDAY SCHOOLS.

Rev. W. P. Chrisman
Dr. G. A. Ashman.
Rev. C. E. Shaw.
Mr. George Rogers.

The Rev. Dr. Moore nominated the following members of the Standing Committee, who were elected by ballot:

Rev. G. A. Gibbons.
Rev. A. J. Willis.
Rev. J. S. Douglas.
Mr. I. H. Strider.
Mr. J. Gassman.
Judge Frank Beckwith.

The election of members of the Ecclesiastical Court was ordered and the ballot resulted as follows:

Rev. D. W. Howard.
Rev. John S. Gibson.
Rev. R. D. Roller, D. D.
Mr. S. W. Washington.
Mr. S. Bruce Hall.

The Rev. C. E. A. Marshall offered the following resolution, which was adopted:

Resolved, That the Council appoint a committee (appointment to be made by the Bishop) with instructions to memorialize the Legislature of West Virginia, at its next session, to so amend the divorce law of the state as to require the Court granting a decree of divorce a vinculo matrimoni, to state in the body of the decree the ground, or grounds, upon which the decree was granted,

And that such committee be authorized to adopt such measures for the accomplishment of such purpose, as it may deem expedient and report to the next Council. The Bishop appointed the following Committee:

Rt. Rev. W. L. Gravatt, D. D.
Rev. C. E. A. Marshall.
Rev. Robt. Douglas Roller, D. D.
W. S. Laidley.
Jos. Trapnell.

The Rev. G. A. Gibbons presented this report of the Standing Committee of the Diocese:

STANDING COMMITTEE REPORT, JUNE 10th, 1905—JUNE 9th, 1906.

July 3rd, 1905. The Standing Committee consented to the election of a Bishop Coadjutor for the Diocese of Southern Va., on the ground of extent of Diocesan territory.

At the same time the Committee approved the election by the House of Bishops of the Rev. Frederick Foote Johnson to be a Missionary Bishop to assist the Bishop of South Dakota.

Sept. 15th, 1905. Mr. James Davis Gibson was recommended as a candidate for Holy Orders.

Jan. 2nd, 1906. The Committee consented to the ordination and consecration of the Rev. Wm. Walker Webb, D. D., as Bishop Coadjutor of the Diocese of Milwaukee. To the ordination and consecration of the Rev. Charles David Williams, D. D., as Bishop of the Diocese of Michigan. To the ordination and consecration of the Rev. Meville Parker, as Bishop

Coadjutor of the Diocese of New Hampshire. To the ordination and consecration of the Rev. John Newton McCormick, D. D., as Bishop Coadjutor of the Diocese of Western Michigan.

March 13th, 1906. The Rev. Charles Hely Molony, Deacon, having applied for a shortening of the time of his candidacy under provision of Canon VII, and having already applied for and received a dispensation from the full Canonical examinations, and prior to the enactment of Canon VII, the Standing Committee was of the opinion that the said Canon does not in this case prohibit the shortening of the time of his candidacy, and at the urgent request of the Bishop, and believing that this case ought to be considered in the light of the Canons under which said Rev. Mr. Molony was *started* in the ministry of this Church, the Committee consented to shortening the term of his candidacy, and recommend him for ordination to the Priesthood.

May 8th, 1906. Mr. Maurice Clarke was recommended to be admitted a candidate for Holy Orders. At the same time Mr. Edmund Pendleton Dandridge 2d and Mr. Richard Watkins Trapnell were recommended for ordination to the Deaconate.

June 7th, 1906. The Rev. Pierce Naylor McDonald, Deacon, wishing to be ordained to the Priesthood at this time and place, (Charles Town) and at the urgent request of the Bishop that his prayer be granted, the Standing Committee consented to the shortening of the time of his service in the Deaconate ten or twelve days, and so recommended said Rev. Mr. McDonald for ordination to the Priesthood.

Respectfully submitted,

G. A. Gibbons, President.
I. H. Strider.
A. J. Willis.
John S. Douglas.
J. Gassman.
Frank Beckwith, Secretary.

On motion of the Rev. Jno. S. Gibson, General Wm. P. Craighill was elected Historiographer of the Diocese.

The Rev. D. W. Howard made this report for the Assessment Committee:

REPORT OF ASSESSMENT COMMITTEE.

The Diocesan year 1905-6 has been from a standpoint of finance, probably the best in the history of the Diocese.

The assessment for Diocese Missions was	$3,000.00
Paid for Diocesan Missions was	3,709.49
The assessment for Episcopal and Cont. Fund was	3,645.00
Paid for Episcopal and Cont. Fund was	3,645.60
The apportionment for General Missions was	2,500.00

Paid from Sept. 1, 1905, to May 1, 1906,..... 1,647.10
$414.46 over 1905.

We beg leave to make the following statement with reference to these three funds:

DIOCESAN MISSIONS.

We are gratified to report that 67 Parishes and Missions have paid in full or overpaid their assessment. The following changes have been made in the assessment for Diocesan Missions for the coming year:

Duffields	$ 4.00
Fayetteville	$ 5.00
Ferris	$ 5.00
Kanawha Missions	$ 8.00
Montgomery	$20.00
Moorefield	$10.00
Page	$ 5.00
Waverly	$ 5.00
Wheeling, St. Andrews	$20.00

The total assessment for the year, $3,032.00.

EPISCOPAL AND CONTINGENT FUND.

This fund for the past year received $9.60 in excess of the assessment.

The following changes have been made in the assessment for this fund:

Ferris	$ 5.00
Fayetteville	$ 5.00
Kanawha Missions	$10.00
Kenova	$ 5.00
Page	$ 5.00
Montgomery	$20.00
Moorefield	$10.00
Union	$35.00
Waverly	$ 5.00

It is urged upon the Diocese that regular quarterly payments be made to the Treasurer of this fund.

While the fiscal year for the apportionment for General Missions does not close until Sept. 1, 1906, the present apportionment, made upon the same basis as the assessment for Diocesan Missions, will stand for this year; but while this apportionment is not obligatory, it is urged upon all parishes and missions to fulfill their obligation to the best of their ability, so that West Virginia may once again be in the front rank of Missionary zeal, by having met its apportionment in full. From Sept. 1,

1906, to Aug. 31, 1907, the apportionment upon all Parishes and Missions for this fund will be 75% of the assessment for Diocesan Missions.

Respectfully submitted,

D. W. Howard.
S. S. Moore.
J. S. Gibson.
J. S. Douglas.
A. G. Grinnan.
G. W. Easter.
R. M. Browne.
J. Gassman.
B. C. Washington.
L. E. Sands.
P. Tatum.

On motion, the Chairman of the Assessment Committee was requested to transmit to the Secretary of the Board of Missions an exact list of the apportionment from the Parishes and Missions of the Diocese.

On motion the Council adjourned.

Saturday, June 9, 1906.
9 A. M.

The Council was called to order by the Bishop. Prayers were read by the Rev. A. G. Grinnan.

The minutes of yesterday were read and approved.

Gen'l. Wm. P. Craighill being unable to serve, declined to act as Historiographer, and the Rev. John S. Gibson was elected to that position.

The Finance Committee presented this report:

FINANCE COMMITTEE'S REPORT.

The work of this Committee is not defined by any Canon, rule or resolution.

Reports and other matters are referred to this Committee without any special direction or requirements and it is left to the Committee to ascertain what its supposed duties are. Yet this Committee is supposed to be in possession of usual information in reference to the financial business and condition of the Church's Treasury and of its resources. While in fact, this committee, when appointed, is to gather such information as best it may, and study the same when it may find time and opportunity.

This much by way of apology, &c.

We have looked over the report of R. M. Browne, Trustee of Episcopal

and Contingent Funds, and after having some private errors corrected, approve of the same.

We endorse the Trustee's caution, which is to provide the funds before disbursing the same, and not to have him to report his inability to pay the orders of the Council.

The report of L. E. Sands, Treasurer, is also before us. It provides in itself for corrections and they will be made before going into the Journal.

We are not furnished with his voucher for his disbursements, but we are given a certificate that his cash balance is.....$1,433.04
And a certificate as to the notes 3,964.86
And bond 4,000.00

Amounting to $7,964.86 as well secured.

He reports collections for Diocesan Missions $3767.14, there should be $3779.59.

He reports collections Rel. & Theo. Edn., $245.86; should be $223.93.

He reports collections for Widows and Orphans $686.12, there should be $700.62.

Taking his own figures and correcting his errors the total balance should be greater by $5.02.

Of the resolutions sent to the Committee in reference to the increase of the Secretary's compensation, and of giving to him an assistant, we would say that,

After consideration of the same, we recommend that his salary be made $150 per annum, but as no assistant has been asked for by him, we make no recommendation in reference thereto.

We recommend the payment of $10.00 to the Janitor of Zion Church for the extra work imposed on him by the Council.

All of which is respectfully submitted.

W. S. LAIDLEY,
C. A. MILLER,
R. M. BROWNE.

The Rev. John S. Gibson offered this substitute:

In lieu of what the Finance Committee has in its report regarding the increase of the salary of the Secretary of the Diocese to $150, that there be substituted the salary of the Secretary for the ensuing year be continued at $100.00."

And that in lieu of the Committee's statement regarding the propriety of the expenditures made by the Treasurer, the Council substitute the following: "The Council grants to L. E. Sands, Treasurer, the sum of $50 for employing such assistance as he may need in conducting the work of his office for the current year."

The Rev. Dr. Moore asked for a division of the question when the vote was taken.

The first proposition relating to the Secretary was adopted.

The second, relating to the Treasurer, was lost.

The Rev. Dr. Moore offered this resolution, which was adopted:

Resolved, That an allowance be made the Treasurer of $50.00 for the payment of clerical assistance and of $12.50 for printing for the year past, but that the Council is of the opinion that an allowance for an assistant should not be made for the future.

The recommendation of the Finance Committee as to the Sexton, was adopted.

The Rev. D. W. Howard addressed the Council on the subject of the Thank Offering of the Men of the Church.

The Rev. E. D. Irvine offered this resolution, which was adopted:

Resolved, That one half of the men's thank offering from this Diocese be designated for use in Brazil and one half for church extension in West Virginia.

The Rev. J. Brittingham moved that 600 copies of the Journal be printed. Adopted.

The Rev. Mr. Gibson offered this resolution, which was adopted:

Resolved, That the thanks of the 29th Annual Council are hereby extended to the Bishop Coadjutor, the Rector of Zion Church, its vestry and congregation, and the good people of Charles Town and vicinity for their cordial hospitality and readiness to facilitate the transactions and that we recognize the courtesy of public carriers in extending reduced rates of fare.

The Rev. Dr. Moore presented the report of the American Church Building Fund Commission.

The Rev. Dr. Moore moved that the Trustees of the Permanent Fund be requested to send their report for publication in the Journal. Adopted.

On motion, after reading the minutes, singing hymns, and suitable devotions by the Bishop, the Council adjourned *sine die*.

GEO. W. PETERKIN,
President.

ROBT. DOUGLAS ROLLER,
Secretary.

APPENDIX A.

I. *Report of Treasurer of the Diocese.*

II. *Report of the Trustee of the Episcopate and Contingent Fund.*

TREASURER'S REPORT

Diocese of West Virginia.

COUNCIL AT CHARLESTOWN, JUNE 6, 1906.

The year for Diocesan Missions runs from May 1, 1905 to April 30, 1906.

PARISH OR MISSION	Assessm't for Dio. Miss. Apportionm't for Gen. Miss.	Paid for Dio. Miss.	Religious and Theo. Educn.	Widows and Orphans and Disabled Clergy.
Alderson	6.00	6.31		
Ansted	20.00	20.00	2.50	5.50
Beckley	6.00			
Berkeley Springs	25.00	25.00		3.00
Bluefield	30.00	30.00	2.50	5.05
Blue Ridge, Christ Church				
" " St. Andrew's				
Bramwell	30.00	45.57		5.00
Brooke Co., St. John's	5 00	5.00		
Brookside		3.00		
Bruce Chapel	12.00	16.00		
Buckhannon	10.00	15.00		
Bunker Hill	5.00	10.69	.57	1.55
Cairo		2.00		
Charles Town, Zion	300.00	382.14	22.00	42.96
" " St. Philip's	10.00	10.00		
" " St. Andrew's		5.00		
Charleston, St. John's	200.00	200.00		76.35
" St. Luke's	8.00			
" St. Matthew's	8.00			
Carbon				2.63
Centralia				
Chester	10.00			
Clarksburg, Christ Church	125.00	125.00	2.25	14.60
" St. Thomas				
Clover Lick				4.23
Cresap's	5.00	5.00		
Davis	8.00	11.25		
Dubree	5.00	2.21		
Eckles				
Elm Grove	5.00	4.05		
Elkins	10.00	14.35		
Fairmont	75.00	75.00		
Fort Spring	5.00	5.00	2.00	2.00
Glen Jean	10.00			
Grafton	15.00	20.00		
Harper's Ferry	20.00	44.26	3.13	
Hartford				
Hedgesville	25.00	25.00		
Hillsboro				
Hinton	30.00	15.00		
Holden		2.00		
Huntington	80.00	100.80	7.07	38.65
Kenova	5.00	5.00		3.80
Keyser		4.50		
Lewisburg	7.00	10.11	2.00	2.00
Little Otter				
Liverpool	3.00	.71		
Lorentz—Spruce Chapel		4.00		
Madison	5.00			
Mannington	10.00	7.10		
Martinsburg	75.00	121.18	34.18	34.32
McDowell: Eckman	20.00	12.00		
McDowell: Welch				
McDowell: Gary				

TREASURER'S REPORT—Continued.

PARISH OR MISSION	Assessm't for Dio. Miss. Apportionm't for Gen. Miss.	Paid for Dio. Miss.	Religious and Theo. Educa.	Widows and Orphans and Disabled Clergy.
Mason County (Beale)				
Mt. Carbon	5 00	5.00		
Montgomery	15.00	15.00		5.00
Moorefield	20.00	20.60	.54	2.32
Morgantown	50.00	50.04		
Moundsville	40.00	55.64	4.80	8.44
Nelson Parish { Middleway, Leetown, Summit Point	75.00	75.28		13.34
New Cumberland		5.00		
New Martinsville	40.00	40.00	1.97	8.51
Newport, Wood Co				
Nuttall	5.00	5.00		
Okonoko	10.00	12.00		1.00
Parsons				
Parkersburg, Trinity	350.00	297.47	15.81	70.39
" Good Shepherd	20.00	170.68	20.25	36.00
" St. Stephen	3.00			
Paw Paw		4.16	2.00	
Pennsboro				
Pt. Pleasant	50.00	56.83	2.00	3.00
Powellton	20.00	8.42		3.05
Princeton	6.00	6.00		
Pratt				
Ravenswood	10.00	17.51		
Ripley	15.00	16.68		
Ripon	10.00	29.47		
Romney, (St. Stephen's—Epiphany)	16.00	45.00	13.47	3.00
Roncevert	8.00	8.00		
Shepherdstown	75.00	76.62	5.01	5.79
Smithfield	5.00			
Sistersville	40.00	51.61	2.36	
Spilman	10.00	12.00		
St. Marys	15.00	15.90		
St. Albans	10.00	17.21	1.30	.70
Sutton	10.00	20.00	6.15	
Tavernorsville	10.00		3.00	1.00
Union	35.00	63.92		6.36
Waverly	10.00	2.79	7.61	
Wellsburg	25.00	85.00		5.00
Weston' St. Paul's	75.00	79.33		20.05
" St. Paul's Chapel			8.31	
Wheeling, St. Mathew's	425.00	460.00	15.00	221.19
" St. Luke's	175.00	175.00	50.20	26.76
" St. Andrew's	15.00	15.00		1.58
White Sulphur	10.00			
Willow Island	5.00	5.00		
Williamstown	25.00	16.06		
Williamson		1.50		
Woman's Mite		320.00		
Paint Creek		2.73	1.20	
Wake Forest		1.05		1.00
Wyndal		2.60		
Page		5.75		1.00
Ferris		5.00	2.00	
Standard			4.85	
Total	$2971.00	$3767.14	$245.86	$ 683.12
Balance last year		1071.21	72.06	7438.84
		$4838.35	317.92	$8124.96
Payments		3396.75	300.00	667.50
Balance on hand		$1441.60	$ 17.92	$7457.46

Payments, Diocesan Missions.

Rev. E. H. Brosius	$ 150 00
Rev. Guy H. Crook	230 00
Rev. G. W. Easter	341 66
Rev. G. A. Gibbons	366 66
Rev. J. H. Gibbons	152 50
Rev John S Gibson	50 00
Rev. A. G. Grinnan	50 00
Rev. A S Hiatt	116 66
Rev. E. D. Irvine	258 00
Rev. C. E. A. Marshall	100 00
Rev. W. H. Meyers	37 50
Rev. A. B. Mitchell	250 00
Rev. C. H. Molony	100 00
Rev. H. H. Phelps	25 00
Rev. C. E. Shaw	166 66
Rev. G. C. Shaw	264 99
Rev. P. B. Stauffer	418 75
Rev. John Warnock	120 00
Rev. A. J. Willis	95 83
Robert Lee Boyd, Asst. Treas	50 00
Printing Treasurer's report	12 50
Mission Boxes	35 65
Postage and Miss. Exp.	4 39
Total	$3,396.75

Payments. Religious and Theological Education.

P. P. Phillips. Treas.	$ 300 00

Payments, Widows and Orphans and Disabled Clergy Fund.

Rev. C. M. Campbell	$ 175 00
Mrs. W. T. Leavelle	100 00
Mrs. Kate W. Lea	150 00
Mrs. C. C. Pearson	162 50
Dr. C. W. Walker	80.00
Total Payment	$ 667 50

Recapitulation.

Ledger balances.

Widows, Orphans and Disabled Clergy Fund	$7,457 46
Diocesan Missions	1,441 60

Religious and Theological Education		17 92
Interest and Earnings		480 92
Total to be accounted for		$9.397 90
Balance in Nat. Ex. Bank of Wheeling	$1,433 04	
Notes and Securities in hands of Treasurer	3,964 86	
Bonds in hands of Treasurer	4.000 00	$9,397 90

Respectfully Submitted.

LAWRENCE E. SANDS. *Treas.*
ROBERT LEE BOYD. *Asst. Treas.*

May 20, 1906.

REPORT OF TRUSTEE OF EPISCOPAL AND CONTINGENT FUNDS.

Beginning June 1st, 1905, and Ending May 31st, 1906.

NAME OF PARISH.	Amount Assessed.	Amount Received.	Amount Paid on Arrears.	Amount Received. Not Assessed.
Alderson	$ 6.00	$ 6.00	$	
Berkeley Springs	30.00	18.50		
Bluefield	30.00	30.00		
Princeton	6.00	6.00		
Bramwell	30.00			
Eckman and McDowell Missions	20.00	12.00		
Brooke County, St. John's	5.00			
Buckhannon	10.00	10.00		
Bunker Hill	5.00	5.00		
Charleston, St. John's	275.00	275.00		
Charleston, St. Luke's	7.00		8.00	
Charleston, St. Matthews	7.00	7.00		
Charles Town, Zion	425.00	425.00		
Charles Town, St. Phillips	5.00			
St. Andrews on the Mountain	2.00			
Clarksburg	125.00	125.00	11.92	
Cresaps	5.00	5.00	5.00	
Davis	8.00	8.00		
Elkins Mission	10.00	16.00		
Fairmont	100.00	50.00		
Grafton	15.00	15.00		
Harper's Ferry	20.00	20.00		
Hedgesville	50.00	50.00		
Hinton	20.00		5.61	
Huntington	100.00	100.00		
Kenova	7.00			
Lewisburg	10.00			
Ronceverte	8.00	8.00		
Martinsburg	100.00	100.00		
Middleway				
Nelson Parish				
Lee Town				
Summit Point	90.00	90.00		
Mannington	10.00	5.00		
Moorefield	20.00	20.00		
Romney	16.00	17.00		
Okonoko	10.00	11.00		
Morgantown	50.00	50.00	20.00	
Moundsville	60.00	60.00		
Nuttallburg	10.00	5.00		
Parkersburg, Trinity	525.00	525.00	25.00	
Parkersburg, Good Shepherd	5.00	25.82		
Parkersburg, St. Stephen	2.00			
Tavennersville	3.00	3.00		
Point Pleasant, Christ	50.00	50.00		
Bruce Chapel	12.00	12.00		
Spillman Mission	10.00	10.00		
Powellton	20.00	22.00		
Ansted	20.00	20.00		
Ravenswood, Grace	10.00	10.00		
Ripley, St. John's	15.00	15.00		
Liverpool, Whittle	2.00			
Ripon	20.00	20.00		
Shepherdstown	75.00	54.75		
Sistersville	40.00	40.00		
New Martinsville	40.00	40.00		
Smithfield, Wetzel County	5.00			
Spruce Chapel	4.00	4.00		
St. Albans	10.00	10.00		
Montgomery	15.00	15.00		
St. Marys	15.00	15.00	15.00	
Sutton	10.00	10.00	10.00	
Union	50.00	50.00		
White Sulphur	10.00			
Fort Spring	5.00	7.00		
Waverly	5.00	3.00		

REPORT OF TRUSTEE OF EPISCOPAL AND CONTINGENT FUNDS—Continued.

Beginning June 1st, 1905, and Ending May 31st, 1906.

NAME OF PARISH.	Amount Assessed.	Amount Received.	Amount Paid on Arrears.	Amount Received. Not Assessed.
Wellsburg	$ 25.00	$ 25.00	$	$
Weston	80.00	80.00		
Wheeling, St. Matthew's	600.00	600.00		
Wheeling, St. Luke's	175.00	175.00		
Wheeling, St. Andraws	10.00	10.00		
Chester	4.00			
Williamson	5.00			
Wheeling, St. Paul's, Elm Grove	10.00			
Williamstown	15.00	5.00	5.00	
Willow Island	5.00	5.00		
Beckley	6.00			
Beury	5.00			
De Bree	5.00	5.00		
Glen Jean	10.00			
Immanuel, Mt. Carbon	5.00	5.00		
Cairo				2.00
Jno. S. Gibson, from Cannons				14.80
Mrs. Anshutz, Parkersburg				5.00
Standard, Paint Creek				1.50
Ferris, W. Va., St. Mary's Mission,				3.00
TOTALS	$ 3645.00	$ 3415.77	$ 212.53	$ 26.30

RECEIPTS.

Amount received on this year's assessment	$3,415.77
Amount received on Arrears	212.53
Amount received from Missions not assessed	26.30
Amount received interest from Permanent Fund	1,819.63
Total	$5,474.23

DISBURSEMENTS.

Paid Rt. Rev. Geo. W. Peterkin		$2,000.00
Paid Rt. Rev. W. L. Gravatt		$2,500.00
Paid Rent of Episcopal Residence at Charles Town		300.00
Paid Rev. R. D. Roller (salary and postage)		105.25
Paid Tribune Co. Printing Journal, etc.	(292.25)	
	(14.75)	307.00
Paid Standing Committee		24.06
Paid Examining Chaplains		36.50
Paid Rev. John S. Gibson, balance on printing Canons		25.00
Paid Sexton at Clarksburg		10.00
Total		$5,307.81

RECAPITULATION.

Balance June 1st, 1905		104.74
Total receipts from every source		$5,474.23
Total		$5,578.97
Bishop Salaries	$4,500.00	
Contingent Expenses	807.81	$5,307.81
Balance on hand June 1st, 1906		$ 271.16

R. M. BROWNE, *Trustee.*

APPENDIX B.

Parochial Reports for the year ending April 30, 1906. Arranged according to alphabetical Clergy list.

PAROCHIAL REPORT.

Rev. JNO. S. ALFRIEND, address Charles Town. Zion Church, St. Andrew's Parish, Jefferson county; date of organization, 1819; present minister took charge March 1st, 1902.

Church Officers—Church Wardens, B. C. Washington, Frank Beckwith; other vestrymen, T. W. Washington, Geo. Eyster, Wm. Packett, Jos. Trapnell, Claiborne Green, Wm. Beall, Scott Kennedy, Richard W. Alexander, Thornton Perry, A. Byrne Hurst; registrars, S. W. Washington, address Charles Town; treasurer, S. W. Washington, address Charles Town; Supt. of Sunday Schools, B. C. Washington, address, Charles Town; Sunday School Secretary and Treasurer, Miss Mary Campbell; Lay Readers, Jos. Trapnell.

Official Acts—Baptisms, infants 10, adults 1, total 11; presented for confirmation since last report 17, marriages 5, burials 17, catechisings 25, public services, Sundays, 120, other days 150, total 270; Holy Communion, public 30, private 5, total 35.

Communicants—Number last reported 344, admitted by confirmation 17, total gain 17; died 5, transferred 4, removed without letter 2, total 11; net gain 6, present Number total 350.

Congregation—Baptized persons connected with Parish 500, this includes all communicants and confirmed persons, confirmed persons connected with Parish 375, families 160, individuals not thus included 40, whole number of individuals 700, number sittings in church 600, number free sittings 100, number sittings in Chapel 150, number sittings in Sunday School Room 150.

Rector's Salary—From May 1, 1906, as pledged from this congregation $1500.00.

Organizations—Officers and teachers, male 4, female 10, total 14; pupils, male 40, female 42, total 82; advent offering $35.19, $45.49, $80.63; Lenten offering $66.13; other fferings $12.28! total Sunday School offering $159.14; Brotherhood of St. Andrew, members 10; Woman's Auxiliary, members 72. *Other Organizations*—Rector's Guild 25; Mexican Guild 10; Chancell Chapter 6; Junior Auxiliary 25.

Property—Church brick, insurance $9,000, value $13,000; rectory, brick, insurance $2,475, value $5,000; Parish house, brick, insurance $1,600; value $3,000; total $21,000.

FINANCIAL REPORT.

Receipts—For all purposes—Cash on hand, per last report $54,60; pew rent $2,335.87; collections in church $1,703.52; money borrowed

$124.19, Sunday School $159.14; Woman's Auxiliary, money $165.00; Woman's Auxiliary, boxes, value $70.53; Guilds, or other Societies $386.93; income from other sources $528.25; total receipts for all purposes $5,528.03.

Disbursements—For current expenses—Salary of rector $1,250.00; other salaries $400.00; ordinary repairs $112.35; interest on debt $39.66; other current expenses $191.34; other objects $13.00; total for current expenses $2,006.35.

Disbursements—Contributions (1) *For objects in the Parish*—Communion alms $64.60; Parish missions $145.48; maintaining Sunday Schools $90.14; payments on debts for building, &c., $768.35; other objects $71.78; total contributions for objects in the Parish $1140.35. *Contributions* (2) *for objects in the Diocese*—Salary of bishops $400.70; permanent fund $21.40; Diocesan Missions $382.14; convocation Missions $117.50; Widows and Orphans, aged and disabled clergy fund $42.96; Religious and Theological Education $22.00; Sheltering Arms Hospital $57.52; Bishop's special fund $250.00; other objects $311.09; total contributions for objects in the Diocese $1,605.31. *Contributions* (3) *For objects without the Diocese*—Indians $5.00; total domestic missions $5.00; missions general $382.88; for China $20.00; for Africa $25.00; for Japan $40.00; for Mexico $60.00; Brazil $88.00; total foreign missions $615.88; specials, boxes, &c., $50.00; general clergy relief fund $16.00; other objects $17.15; total contributions for objects without the Diocese $704.03.

Statement—Current expenses raised by congregation as above $2,006.35. *Contributions*—For objects in the Parish $1,140.35; for objects in the Diocese $1,605.31; for objects without the Diocese $704.03; total of contributions $3,449.69; all money raised by the congregation for current expenses and for contributions $5,456.04; cash on hand $71.99.

Remarks—Recent improvements on property, church, rectory and Parish building make the whole property in first class condition.—JNO. S. ALFRIEND, *Rector.*

PAROCHIAL REPORT.

MAURICE CLARK, address Charles Town, St. Andrew's Mission, Jefferson county; date of organization 1891; present minister took charge Sept. 23, 1905; Supt. of Sun. Schools John Howell, Charles Town.

Official Acts—Baptisms, infants 15, adults 1, total 16; presented for confirmation since last report 2, burials 2, public services, Sundays 65, other days 30, total 95; Holy Communion, public 5, total 5.

Communicants—Number last reported 29, admitted by confirmation 2, total gain 2; net gain 2, present number total 31.

Congregation—Confirmed persons connected with Parish 31, families 55, whole number of individuals 250, number sittings in chapel 150, number sittings in Sunday School Room 150, total 600.

Rector's Salary—Raised by Rev. B. M. Spurr.

Organizations—Officers and teachers, male 2, female 5, total 7; pupils, male 35, female 40, total 75; other offerings $5.35, total Sunday School offerings $5.35; industrial schools, officers and teachers 2, scholars 32, total 34; Parish Schools, officers and teachers 1, scholars 38, total 39; sewing Society 23; Mother's Meeting 27; Night School 15.

Property—Chapel wood, insurance $800, value $1,100; rectory, insurance $2,000, value $2,300; Deaconess House, wood, insurance $700, value $1,000, total value $4,400; money raised from outside sources $3,454.19; for what objects used, building, salaries and general expenses.

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Receipts—For all purposes—Collections in church $5.35; contributions from without $3,454.19; income from other sources $95.63; total receipts for all purposes $3,555.17.

Disbursements — For current expenses — Other objects $26,17, total for current expenses $26.17.

Disbursements—Contributions (1) *For objects in the Parish*—Building and extraordinary repairs and improvements $2,100, other objects $110.00, salaries $1,313.00 total contributions for objects in the Parish $3,523.00. *Contributions* (2) *For objects in the Diocese*—Diocesan Missions $3.00; total contributions for objects in the Diocese $3.00. *Contributions*—(3) *objects without the Diocese*—Foreign Missions General $3.00; total Foreign Missions $3.00; total contributions for objects without the Diocese $3.00.

Statement—Current expenses raised by congregation as above $26.17, for objects in the Parish $3,523.00, for objects in the Diocese $3.00, for objects without the Diocese $3.00, total of contributions $3,529.00; all money raised by the congregation for current expenses and for contributions $3,555.17.

Remarks—The current expenses including salaries are not raised by the congregations but provided for by outside contributions almost entirely, hence these figures appear under objects in the Parish.

PAROCHIAL REPORT.

MAURICE CLARK, address Charles Town. Christ Church, Blue Ridge, or Mission, Jefferson county; present minister took charge Sept. 23, 1905.

Official Acts—Baptisms, infants 1, total 1; public services, Sundays 12, total 12.

Communicants—Present Number total 5.

Congregation—Confirmed persons connected with Parish 5, families 12, whole number of individuals 45.

Organizations—Sunday School, officers and teachers, male 2, total 2; pupils, male 15, female 25, total 40.

FINANCIAL REPORT.

Receipts—For all purposes—Collections in church $2.87, total receipts for all purposes $2.87.

Disbursements—Contributions (1) *For objects in the Parish*—Parish Missions $2.87, total contributions for objects in the Parish $2.87.

Statement—For objects in the Parish $2.87, total of contributions $2.87; all money raised by the congregation for current expenses and for contributions $2.87.

PAROCHIAL REPORT.

Rev. JNO. S. ALFRIEND, address Charles Town, Harewood Mission, near Charles Town, Jefferson county; present minister took charge March 1, 1902. Supt. of Sun. Schools A. G. Wynkoopp, Charles Town.

Official Acts—Public services, Sundays 7, total 7.

Organizations—Sunday School, Officers and teachers, male 2, female 3, total 5; pupils, male 25, female 15, total 40; other offerings $7.00, total Sunday School offerings $7.00.

FINANCIAL REPORT.

Receipts—For all purposes—Collections in church $4.06, Sunday School $7.00, total receipts for all purposes $11.06.

Disbursements—Contributions (1) *For objects in the Parish*—Maintaining Sunday Schools $7.00, total contributions for objects in the Parish $7.00. *Contributions* (2) *For objects in the Diocese*—Diocesan Missions $4.06, total contributions for objects in the Diocese $4.06.

Statement—For objects in the Parish $7.00; for objects in the Diocese $4.06, total of contributions $11.06; all money raised by the congregation for current expenses and for contributions $11.06.

Remarks—This is a Mission point with no organization. Sunday School is held every Sunday from Easter to Christmas. The rector of Zion Church holds service and preaches every second Sunday in the month. This year only 7 services were held. The public school house is used for Sunday School and services—JNO. S. ALFRIEND, *Rector*.

PAROCHIAL REPORT.

Rev. MORTON A. BARNES, address Fairmont, W. Va., Christ church, Fairmont, Marion County; present minister took charge Mar. 1, 1905.

Church Officers—Church Wardens, Senior, J. E. Sands, Junior, Wm. E. Watson; other vestrymen, George H. Brobst, Allen E. Russel, George W.

DeBolt, Walton Miller, Samuel B. Holbert, John C. Smith, William T. Hartman, John Henshaw, James O. Watson, Henry DeShield; registrar Allen E. Russel, Fairmont, W. Va.; treasurer George H. Brobst, address, Fairmont, W. Va.; Supt. of Sun. Schools S. J. Brobst; S. S. Sec. & Treas., Arthur S. Brobst.

Official Acts—Baptisms, infants 8, adults 3, total 11; presented for confirmation since last report 22, marriages 2, burials 7, public services, Sundays 165, other days 158, total 323; Holy Communion, public 116, total 116.

Communicants—Number last reported 138, admitted by confirmation 22, added otherwise 6, total gain 28; died 1, transferred 2, removed without letter 2, lapsed 1, total loss 6; net gain (or loss) 22; present number total 160.

Congregation—Baptized persons connected with Parish, this includes all communicants and confirmed persons, Cir. 225; confirmed persons connected with Parish 165, families 60, individuals not thus included 25, whole number of individuals 250, number of sittings in church 175, number free sittings 175, Number sittings in Sunday School Room 75.

Rector's Salary—As pledged from this congregation $1,350.00.

Organizations—Sunday Shcool officers and teachers, male 3, female 7, total 10; pupils, male 18, female 32, total 50; advent offering $10.00; Lenten offering $22.60, other offerings $88.83, total Sunday School offerings $121.43; Woman's Auxiliary, members 36. *Other Organizations*—Little Helpers 38, Sewing Society 14, Altar Guild 15, Junior Auxiliary 8.

Property—Church, material brick, insurance $7,500, value $10,000; Or Sunday School Room, basement of church.

FINANCIAL REPORT.

Receipts—For all purposes—Cash on hand, per last report $485.83, pledges and subscriptions $1,695.58, collections in church $582.35, Sunday School $154.73, Woman's Auxiliary, money $301.96, Woman's Auxiliary, boxes, value $150.00, total receipts for all purposes $3,370.45.

Disbursements—(1) *For current expenses*—Salary of rector $1,350.00, salary of assistant $38.00, other salaries $349.00, ordinary repairs $75.00, other current expenses $278.51, loan $282.65, total for current expenses $2,373.16.

Disbursements—Contributions (1) *For objects in the Parish*—Communion alms $10.00, maintaining Sunday Schools $41.60, other objects $17.45, total contributions for objects in the Parish $69.05. *Contributions*—(2) *For objects in the Diocese*—Salary of Bishops $50.00, Diocesan Missions $75.00, Widows and Orphans, Aged and Disabled Clergy Fund $5.00, Sheltering Arms Hospital $26.00, other objects $77.42, total contributions for objects in the Diocese $233.42. *Contributions* (3) *For objects without the Diocese*—Domestic Missions General $115.55, Foreign Missions General

$127.22, total Foreign Missions $242.77, specials, boxes, &c., $150.00, other objects $48.75, total contributions for objects without the Diocese $441.52.

Statement—Current Expenses raised by congregation as above $2,373.16, for objects i nthe Parish $69.05, for objects in the Diocese $233.42, for objects without the Diocese $441.52, total of contributions $743.99; all money raised by the congregation for current expenses and for contributions $3,117.15; cash on hand $253.30.

Remarks—During the past year the parish has been blessed with the following gifts and improvements: A marble font, solid silver paten and chalice, cut glass cruets, two sets of altar hangings, rood-screen, litany desk, two-manual pipe organ, memorial pulpit of oak and brass; besides many individual gifts toward repairs upon the church of which the parish has no financial record. A Sunday School of about 60 members has been recently started at Farmington.

PAROCHIAL REPORT.

Rev. J. BRITTINGHAM, address 66 S. Penn St., St. Luke's church, The Island Parish, Wheeling, Ohio county; date of organization June 2nd, 1881; present minister took charge Mar. 3rd, 1906.

Chuch Officers—Church Wardens, Lawrence E. Sands, Edward B. Bowie; other vestrymen Wm. A. Wilson, Charles H. Copp, Archibal A. Taylor, Wylie Irwin, M. R. Wolff, John Johns, Harry S. Sands, George J. Rogers, Frank Zook, Ernest E. Hodshon; registrar William A. Wilson, address Nat. Exchange Bank Building; treasurer L. E. Sands, address Nat. Exchange Bank; Supt. of Sun. School Robert L. Boyd; S. S. Sec. & Treas. Robt. L. Boyd; Lay Readers A. A. Taylor, R. L. Boyd.

Official Acts—Baptisms, infants 15, adults 3, total 18; presented for confirmation since last report 16, marriages 10, burials 17, catechisings 12, public services, Sunday 102, other days 66, total 168; Holy Communion, public 18, private 1, total 19.

Communicants—Number last reported 260, received by letter 4, admitted by confirmation 16, total gain 20; died 3, transferred 3, removed without letter 23, total loss 30 (or loss) 10, present Number total 250.

Congregation—Baptized persons connected with Parish. This includes all communicants and confirmed persons, 310, confirmed persons connected with Parish 276, families 173, individuals not thus included 27, whole number of individuals 400; number sittings in church 400, number free sittings 400, number sittings in Chapel 200, number sittings in Sunday School Room 200.

Rector's Salary—As pledged from this congregation $1,500.

Organizations—Sunday School, officers and teachers, male 4, female 7, total 11; pupils, male 40, female 58, total 99; advent offering $22.63, Len-

ten offering $72.24, other offering $91.24, total Sunday School offerings $186.11.

Property—Church, material frame, insurance $6,000, value $12,000; rectory frame, insurance $2,000, value $5,000; Parish house, frame insurance $4,500, value $9,000; total value frame, insurance $12,000, value $26,000; total indebtedness $2,000.

FINANCIAL REPORT.

Receipts—For all purposes—Cash on hand, per last report $321.44, pledges and subscriptions $2,329.84, collections in church $1,404.45, Sunday School $186.00, Woman's Auxiliary, money $64.00, Woman's Auxiliary, boxes, value $100. Guilds, or other Societies $585.23, total receipts for all purposes $4,990.96.

Disbursements (1) *For current expenses*—Rector's salary $1,500, other salaries $807.61, ordinary repairs $224.78, interest on debt $121.66, other objects $386.62, total for current expenses $3,040.67. *Contributions* (1) *For objects in the Parish*—Communion alms $28.78, maintaining Sunday Schools $91.24, Chancel Chapter donations $241.54, King's Daughters donations $268.69, total contributions for objects in the Parish $630.25. *Contributions* (2) *For objects in the Diocese*—Salary of Bishops $175, permanent fund $10, box for Mountain Mission $100,00, Diocesan Missions $175, Convocation Missions $13, Widows and Orphans, Aged and Disabled Clergy Fund $50.20, Religious and Theological Education $26.76, Sheltering Arms Hospital $39.50, Central fund (Woman's Auxiliary) $4.00, Sheltering Arms Chapel $10.00, total contributions for objects in the Diocese $603.46. *Contributions* (3) *For objects without the Diocese*—Domestic Missions General $117.35, total Domestic Missions $117.35; Foreign Missions General $129.89, Morrell China scholarship $45.00, Brazil Life Insurance $5.00, total Foreign Missions $179.89; General Missions $129.60, total contributions for objects without the Diocese $426.84.

Statement—Current expenses raised by congregation as above $3,040.67, for objects in the Parish $630.25, for objects in the Diocese $603.46; for objects without the Diocese $426.84, total of contributions $1,660.55; all money raised by the congregation for current expenses and for contributions $4,701.22; cash on hand $289.74.

Remarks—This Parish has paid its apportionment on General Missions up to Sept., 1906. The $129.60 for General Missions reported above came in too late for last year's Parochial Report.

PAROCHIAL REPORT.

Rev. E. H. BROSIUS, address Bluefield, W. Va. Christ church, Bluefield

Parish, Mercer county; date of organization May 20, 1903; present minister took charge Dec. 1, 1901.

Church Officers—Church Wardens, W. H. B. Loving, R. A. Lacy; other vestrymen, T. H. Becker, Walter Perkins, D. B. Baldwin, R. E. Boling, O. M. Deyerle; treasurer T. H. Becker, address Bluefield, W. Va.; Supt. of Sun. Schools E. H. Brosius, Bluefield, W. Va.; S. S. Sec. & Treas. E. H. Brosius.

Official Acts—Baptisms, infants 6, total 6; presented for confirmation since last report 8, marriages 2, burials 1, public services, Sundays 76, other days 19, total 95; Holy Communion 14.

Communicants—Number last reported 109, admitted by confirmation 8, added otherwise 12, total gain 20; removed without letter 20, total loss 20; present number total 109.

Congregation—Baptized persons connected with Parish, this includes all communicants and confirmed persons, 190, confirmed persons connected with Parish 109, families 56, individuals not thus included 13, whole number of individuals 200; number sittings in church 200, number free sittings 200.

Rector's Salary—As Pledged from this congregation $600.00, from Diocesan Missions $150.00, as pledged from other congregations $50.00, total $800.00.

Organizations—Sunday School officers and teachers, male 1, female 3, total 14; pupils, male 15, female 12, total 27; advent offering $14.00, Lenten $25.00, other offerings $13.84, total Sunday School offerings $52.84. *Other Organizations*—Ladies Guild, Choir, Chancel Chapter.

Property—Church, wood, insurance $1,500, value $2,000; rectory, wood, insurance $1,500, value $2,000; dwelling, wood, insurance $1,500, value $3,000; total value insurance $4,500, value $7,000. On other property, dwelling, $3.000. total indebtedness $3,000.

FINANCIAL REPORT.

Receipts—For all purposes—Cash on hand, per last report $84.59, pledges and subscritpions $661.10, collections in church $112.31, thank offerings $109.45, Sunday School $52.84, Communion Alms $8.44, Guilds, or other Societies $236.35, income rent and damages $375.00, total receipts for all purposes $1,641.08.

Disbursements (1) *For current expenses*—Salary of rector $566.71, other salaries $225.07, insurance $67.44, interest on debt $165.00, other current expenses $87.78, total for current expenses $1,112.00.

Disbursements—Contributions (1) *For objects in the Parish*—Communion alms $8.44, building and extraordinary repairs and improvements $354.44, maintaining Sunday Schools $13.84, total contributions for objects in the Parish $376.72. *Contributions* (2) *For objects in the Diocese*—Salary of Bishops $30.00, Diocesan Missions $30.00, Convocation Missions

$4.00, Widows and Orphans, Aged and Disabled Clergy Fund $3.95, Religious and Theological Education $2.30, Sheltering Arms Hospital $8.25, total contributions for objects in the Diocese $78.50. *Contributions* (3) *For objects without the Diocese*—Domestic Missions General $27.50, total Domestic Missions $27.50, Foreign Missions General $27.50, total Foreign Missions $27.50; General Clergy Relief Fund $1.10, total contributions for objects without the Diocese $56.10.

Statement—Current expenses raised by congregation as above $1,112.00, for objects in the Parish $376.72, for objects in the Diocese $78.50, for objects without the Diocese $56.10, total of contributions $511.32; all money raised by the congregation for current expenses and for contributions $1,641.08; cash on hand $1,776.

PAROCHIAL REPORT.

Rev. E. H. BROSIUS, address Bluefield, Heavenly Rest church, Princeton Mission, Princeton, Mercer county; present minister took charge Dec. 1, 1901.

Church Officers—Church Wardens, H. B. Barbor, Joseph G. Barbor; registrar H. B. Barbor, address Princeton; treasurer H. B. Barbor.

Official Acts—Baptisms 1, total 1; public services, Sundays 9, other days 9; Holy Communion 3, total 3.

Communicants—Number last reported 17, present number total 17.

Congregation—Baptized persons connected with Parish. This includes all communicants and confirmed persons 19, confirmed persons connected with Parish 17, families 8, number sittings in church 150.

Rector's Salary—As pledged from this congregation $50.00, from Diocesan Missions $150.00, as pledged from other congregations $600.00, total $800.00.

Organizations—Sewing Society.

Property—Church, wood.

FINANCIAL REPORT.

Receipts—For all purposes—Pledges and subscriptions $111.83, Guilds, or other Societies $42.00, total receipts for all purposes $153.83.

Disbursements (1) *For current expenses*—Salary of rector $111.83, ordinary repairs $30.00, total for current expenses $141.83.

Contributions (2) *For objects in the Diocese*—Permanent fund $6.00, Diocesan Missions $6.00, total contributions for objects in the Diocese $12.00.

Statement—Current expenses raised by congregation as above $141,83, for objects in the Diocese $12.00, total of contributions $12.00; all money raised by the congregation for current expenses and for Contributions $153.83.

PAROCHIAL REPORT.

Rev. WILSON PAGE CHRISMAN, address Moundsville, W. Va. Trinity church, Trinity Parish, Moundsville, Marshall county; date of organization 1848; present minister took charge June 1st, 1902.

Church Officers—Church Wardens, V. A. Weaver, Friend Cox; other vestrymen, A. J. Martin, J. T. Gallaher, C. L. Walton, H. B. Tyler, J. M. Sanders, W. B. Williams, J. R. Logan; registrar J. T. Gallaher, Moundsville, W. Va.; treasurer C. L. Walton, Moundsville, W. Va.; Supt. of Sun. Schools, W. P. Chrisman, Moundsville, W. Va.; S. S. Sec. & Treas. H. B. Tyler, Moundsville, W. Va.

Official Acts—Baptisms, infants 8, adults 5, total 13; presented for confirmation since last report 16, marriages 1, burials 2, catechisings 20, public services, Sundays 105, other days 105, total 210; Holy Communion, public 31 total 31.

Communicants—Number last reported 74; admitted by confirmation 16, restored to Communion 2, added otherwise 5, total gain 23; died 1, removed without letter 5, lapsed 5, total loss 11; net gein 12, present number total 86.

Congregation—Baptized persons connected with parish, this includes all communicants and confirmed persons 198, confirmed persons connected with Parish 112, families 53, individuals not thus included 35, whole number of individuals 187 number of scattered communicants in your section not connected with any Parish 11, number sittings in Church 200, number free sittings 200, number sittings in Chapel 25, number sittings in Sunday Scohol Room 100.

Rector's Salary—As Pledged from this congregation $1250.00, total $1250.00.

Organizations—Sunday School, officers and teachers, male 4, female 9, total 13; pupils, male 56, female 84, total 140; advent offering $45.64, Lenten offering $64.14, other offerings $81.13, total Sunday School offerings $190.91. *Other Organizations*—Trinity Guild, (a) Industrial Chapter, (b) Chancel Chapter, The Churchman's Club of Trinity Parish.

Property—Church, material frame; insurance $4,000; value $8,000; rectory frame, insurance $1,500, value $5,000; Parish House, brick, insurance $4,000, value $20,000; total value, insurance $9,500, value $33,000. *Indebtedness*—On Parish House $3,304, other debts $100, total indebtedness $3,404.

FINANCIAL REPORT.

Receipts—For all purposes—Cash on hand, per last report $59.40, pledges and subscriptions $1,250.00, collections in church $755.04, Sunday School $190.91, Guilds, or other Societies $342.46, total receipts for all purposes $2,597.81.

Disbursements (1) *For Current Expenses*—Salary of rector $1250.00, other salaries $52.00, insurance $137.50, interest on debt $100.00, other current expenses $252.94, total for current expenses $1792.44.

Disbursements—Contributions (1) *For objects in the Parish*—Communion alms $11.45, Parish Missions $3.84, maintaining Sunday Schools $64.72, other objects $54.70, total contributions for objects in the Parish $134.71. *Contributions* (2) *For objects in the Diocese*—Salary of Bishops $60.00, permanent fund $2.86, Diocesan Missions $55.64, Convocation Missions $18.00, Widows and Orphans, Aged and Disabled Clergy Fund $8.44, Religious and Theological Education $4.80, Sheltering Arms Hospital $13.05, Theological Seminary $4.10, other objects $16.00, total contributions for objects in the Diocese $182.89. *Contributions* (3) *For objects without the Diocese*—Domestic Missions General $92.14, colored people $2.34, Indians $2.11, deaf and dumb $4.20, Jews $4.17, thro' American Church Missionary Society $1.20, total Domestic Missions $106.82; Foreign Missions General $8.00, for Mexico $3.05, for Philippines $3.00, Porto Rico $2.19, Brazil $1.00, Cuba $1.03, total Foreign Missions $18.27; American Church Building fund $3.50, General Clergy Relief Fund $3.99, Bible and Prayer Book Society $3.50, total contributions for objects without the Diocese $136.08.

Statement—Current expenses raised by congregation as above $1,792.44, for objects in the Parish $134.71, for objects in the Diocese $182.89, for objects without the Diocese $136.08, total of contributions $453,68; all money raised by the congregation for current expenses and for contributions $2245.12, cash on hand $351.69.

PAROCHIAL REPORT.

Rev. WILSON PAGE CHRISMAN, address Moundsville, W. Va.; Grace Church, Cresap's Valley Mission, Cresaps, Marshall County; date of organization 1881; present minister took charge Nov. 17th, 1904.

Church Officers—Missionary Committee, A. N. Whittaker, Quincy Cresap, R. M. Gosset, Thos. Kemp; registrar Quincy Cresap, address Captina, W. Va.; treasurer R. M. Gosset, address Captina, W. Va.; Supt. of Sunday Schools R. M. Gosset, Captina, W. Va.; S. S. Sec. & Treas. Miss Alice Gosset.

Official Acts—Presented for confirmation since last report 2, public services, Sundays 1, other days 13, total 14; Holy Communion, public 1, private 1, total 2.

Communicants—Number last reported 9, admitted by confirmation 2, total gain 2; removed without letter 2, total loss 2, present number total 9.

Congregation—Baptized persons connected with Parish, this includes all communicants and confirmed persons 20, confirmed persons connected with Parish 18, families 4, individuals not thus included 3, whole number

of individuals 20, number sittings in church 75, number free sittings 75.

Organizations—This school was organized April 1st, 1906, Sunday Schools, officers and teachers, male 7, female 7, total 14; pupils, male 14, female 13, total 27; other offerings 53 cents, total Sunday School offerings 53 cents.

Property—Church, frame, value $1,000, total value $1,000.

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Receipts—For all purposes—Collections in church $24.35, Sunday School 53 cents, Guilds, or other Societies $62.03, total receipts for all purposes $86.91.

Disbursements (1) *For current expenses*—Other current expenses $3.05, total for current expenses $3.05.

Disbursements—Contributions (1) *For objects in the Parish*—Communion Alms 53 cents, building and extraordinary repairs and improvements $61.10, maintaining Sunday Schools 53 cents, total contributions for objects in the Parish $62.16. *Contributions* (2). *For objects in the Diocese*—Salary of Bishops $10.00, Diocesan Missions $5.00, Convocation Missions $1.00, total Contributions for objects in the Diocese $16.00. *Contributions* (3) *For objects wihout the Diocese*—Domestic Missions General $1.00, total Domestic Missions $1.00; Foreign Missions General $1.28, total Foreign Missions $1.28; total contributions for objects without the Diocese $2.28.

Statement—Current expenses raised by congregation as above $3.05, for objects in the Parish $62.16, for objects in the Diocese $16.00, for objects without the Diocese $2.28, total of contributions $80.44; all money raised by the congregation for current expenses and for contributions $83.49; cash on hand $3.42.

PAROCHIAL REPORT.

Rev. T. J. OLIVER CURRAN, address Wheeling, St. Andrews Parish or Mission, Wheeling, Ohio county; present minister took charge October, 1900.

Church Officers—Other vestrymen, William A. Carroll, William Weaterall, Robert Smith, John Smith; registrar William A. Carroll, address 2809 Jacob St.; treasurer William A. Carroll, address 3809 Jacob St.; Supt. of Sunday School William A. Carroll, 3809 Jacob St.

Official Acts—Baptisms, infants 7, adults 14, total 21; presented for confirmation since last report 11, marriages 5, burials 3, catechisings 47, public services, Sundays 100, other days 97, total 284; Holy Communion, public 39, total 39.

Communicants—Number last reported 89, admitted by confirmation 11,

total gain 11; removed without letter 1, total loss 1, net gain 10, present number total 99.

Congregation—Baptized persons connected with Parish, this includes all communciants and confirmed persons 275, confirmed persons connected with Parish 99, families 40, individuals not thus included 32, whole number of individuals 400.

Rector's Salary—As pledged from this congregation $1,400.

Organizations—Sunday School, officers and teachers, male 2, female 8, total 10; pupils, male 68, female 90, total 158; Advent offering $7.90, Lenten offering $38.92, other offerings $161.40, total Sunday School offerings $282.22; Brotherhood of St. Andrew, members 4. *Other Organizations*—Junior Auxiliary 10; Junior Brotherhood of St. Andrew 12; St. Andrew's Guild; Woman's Chapter 20; St. Agnes' Chapter 8; Boy's Social Chapter 14.

Property—Church, material wood, insurance $4,899; money raised from outside sources $1,300; for what objects used, building fund.

FINANCIAL REPORT.

Receipts—For all purposes—Cash on hand, per last report $1,242.99, pledges and subscriptions $241.70, collections in church $708.99, interest from investments $90.30, Sunday School $208.22, Junior Auxiliary, money $37.50, Junior Auxiliary, boxes, value $4.00, Guilds, or other Societies $496.35, contributions from without $1,300.00, income from other sources $231.05, total receipts for all purposes $4,561.10.

Disbursements (1) *For current expenses*—Salary of rector $1,167.23, other salaries $116.00, insurance $20.00, ordinary repairs $88.42, other current expenses $160.26, other objects $304.32, total $1,856.23.

Disbursements—Contributions (1) *For objects in the Parish*—Communion Alms $4.90, maintaining Sunday Schools $133.94, total contributions for objects in the Parish $138.84. *Contributions* (2) *For objects in the Diocese*—Salary of Bishops $10.00, Diocesan Missions $18.75, Convocation Missions $7.50, Widows and Orphans, Aged and Disabled Clergy Fund $1.58, Sheltering Arms Hospital $18.47, other objects $7.00, relief of the church in San Francisco fire $7.70, total $71.00. *Contributions* (3) *For objects without the Diocese*—Foreign Missions General $10.95, total Foreign Missions $10.95; other objects, work among the Jews in Palestine $5.00, total contributions for objects wihout the Diocese $15.95.

Statement—Current expenses raised by congregation as above $1,856.23, for objects in the Parish $138.84, for objects in the Diocese $71.00, for objects without the Diocese $15.95, total of contributions $225.79; all money raised by the congregation for current expenses and for contributions $2,082.02; cash on hand $2,479.08.

PAROCHIAL REPORT.

Rev. JOHN S. DOUGLAS, address Martinsburg, Trinity Church, Nor-

borne Parish or Mission, Martinsburg, Berkeley county; date of organization 1769; present minister took charge Oct. 1st, 1899.

Church Officers—Church Wardens, Capt. W. B. Colston, C. A. Miller; other vestrymen, John E. Boyd, Alexander Parks, Arthur M. Gilbert, Dr. A. Andrews, Edward Rutledge; registrar, Capt. W. B. Colston, address, Martinsburg; Supt. of Sun. Schools Edward Rutledge, Martinsburg; S. S. Sec. & Treas., C. A. Miller; Lay Reader Edward Rutledge.

Official Acts—Baptisms, infants 5, total 5; presented for confirmation since last report 7, marriages 3, burials 9, catechisings frequent, public services, Sundays 105, other days 84, total 189; Holy Communion, public 19, private 4, total 23.

Communicants—Number last reported 175, received by letter 1, admitted by confirmation 7, added otherwise 4, total gain 12;; died 1, removed without letter 5, lapsed 5, not otherwise accounted for 6, total loss 17; net loss 5, present number total 170.

Congregation—Baptized persons connected with Parish, this includes all communicants and confirmed persons 295, confirmed persons connected with Parish 182, families 95, individuals not thus included 25, whole number of individuals 320, number sittings in church 350, number free sittings 350, number sittings in Sunday School Room 250.

Rector's Salary—As pledged from this congregation $900.00, total $900.00.

Organizations—Sunday School, officers and teachers, male 5, female 9, total 14; pupils, male 30, female 55, total 85; Advent offering $34.35, Lenten offering $67.38, Orphans $10.55, regular Sunday $33.50, total Sunday Sunday School offerings $145.78; Woman's Auxiliary, members 34. *Other Organizations*—Trinity Church Guild under which are working seven Chapters.

Property—Church, brick, insurance $5,000, value $10,000; rectory stone, insurance $1,500, value $7,500; Parish House, brick, insurance $2,000, value $5,000; stable, brick, insurance $500, value $500; Organ, insurance $1,800, value $1,800, total value $24,800. *Indebtedness*—On Parish House, stable and yards $3,406.23; organ $108.64; extraordinary improvements and repairs and current expenses $500.00, total indebtedness $4,014.87.

FINANCIAL REPORT.

Receipts—For all purposes—Cash on hand, per last report $686.22, pledges and subscriptions $1,510.37, collections in church $1,028.75, Sunday School $145.78, Woman's Auxiliary, money $222.52, Woman's Auxiliary, boxes, value $53.50, Guilds, or other Societies $917.04, income from other sources $9.96, total receipts for all purposes $4,574.14.

Disbursements (1) *For current expenses*—Salary of Rector $900, other salaries $214.64, insurance $30.40, ordinary repairs $59.12, interest on debt $263.41, other current expenses $421.32, other objects $48.15, total for current expenses $1,937.04.

Disbursements—Contributions (1) *For objects in the Parish*—Communion Alms $47.44, building and extraordinary repairs and improvements $73.95, maintaining Sunday Schools $19.50, payment on debts for building, &c., $1,130.09, other objects $60.57, total contributions for objects in the Parish $1,331.35. *Contributions* (2) *For objects in the Diocese*—Salary of Bishops $100.00, permanent fund $9.69, Diocesan Missions $86.83, Convocation Missions $27.50, Widows and Orphans, Aged and Disabled Clergy Fund $34.32; Religious and Theological Education $34.18, Sheltering Arms Hospital $25.90, Sunday School Advent, Diocesan Missions $34.35, Sunday School Orphan's Home $10.55, Women's Auxiliary, Diocese Missions $61.75, Special Mission, Fairview $75.00, total contributions for objects in the Diocese $500.07. *Contributions* (3). *For objects without the Diocese*—Domestic Missions General $24.66, colored people $13.18, Indians $3.32, Jews $4.64, total Domestic Missions $45.80; Foreign Missions General $24.67, for China $9.07, Brazil $2.50, Cuba $2.50, total Foreign Missions $38.74; Spirit of Missions $3.75, specials, boxes, &c. $53.50, American Church building fund $5.79, General Clergy Relief Fund $5.02, Bible and Prayer Book Society $2.79, other objects, Special Mission in Virginia $8.90, Sunday School, Lenten, General Missions $67.38, Woman's Auxiliary General Missions $59.10, Junior Auxiliary General Missions $14.00, San Francisco, through Bishop Nichols $37.58, total contributions for objects without the Diocese $342.35.

Statement—Current expenses raised by congregation as above $1,937.04, for objects in the Parish $1,331.35, for objects in the Diocese $500.07, for objects without the Diocese $342.35, total of contributions $2,173.77; all money raised by the congregation for current expenses and for contributions $4,110.81; cash on hand $463.33.

Remarks—The greater part of cash on hand is for the purpose of painting and improving the Church and Rectory, which work is now in progress.

PAROCHIAL REPORT.

Rev. JOHN S. DOUGLAS, address Martinsburg, Christ Church, Bunker Hill Mission, Bunker Hill, Berkeley county; date of organization 1769; present minister took charge Oct. 1, 1899.

Church Officers—Church Wardens, Zeph S. Morgan; other vestrymen, J. K. Cunningham, William Seibert, Richard Whiting; registrar J. K. Cunningham, address Rush, Va.; treasurer Richard T. Whiting, address Inwood, W. Va.

Official Acts—Presented for confirmation since last report 1, public services, Sundays 21, total 21; Holy Communion 4, total 4.

Communicants—Number last reported 8, admitted by confirmation 1, added otherwise 3, total gain 4; net gain 4, present number total 12.

Congregation—Baptized persons connected with Parish, this includes

all communicants and confirmed persons 20, confirmed persons connected with Parish 12, families 6, whole number of individuals 26, number sittings in church 200, number free sittings 200.

Property—Church, brick, insurance $1,500, value $2,000.

FINANCIAL REPORT.

Receipts—For all purposes—Cash on hand, per last report $1.12, pledges and subscriptions $25.00, collections in church $12.73, Sunday School 50 cents, contributions from without 50 cents, income from other sources $16.45, total receipts for all purposes $56.30.

Disbursements—For current expenses—Salary of rector $35.13, payments on debts contracted for current expenses $1.22, other current expenses $3.00, total for current expenses $39.35.

Disbursements—Contributions (1) *For objects in the Parish*—Communion Alms 92 cents, maintaining Sunday Schools 50 cents, Easter offering 35 cents, total contributions for objects in the Parish $1.77. *Contributions* (2) *For objects in the Diocese*—Salary of Bishops $5.00, Diocesan Missions $4.69, Convocation Missions $1.22, Widows and Orphans, Aged and Disabled Clergy Fund $1.15, Religious and Theological Education 97 cents, Sheltering Arms Hospital 8 cents, Theological Seminary 10 cents, total contributions for objects in the Diocese $13.21. *Contributions* (3) *For objects without the Diocese*—Indians 51 cents, Deaf and Dumb 25, total Domestic Missions 5; for Mexico 28 cents, Brazil 72 cents, total Foreign Missions $1.81; Bible and Prayer Book Society 16 cents, total contributions for objects without the Diocese $1.97.

Statement—Current expenses raised by congregation as above $39.35, for objects in the Parish $1.77, for objects in the Diocese $13.21, for objects without the Diocese $1.97, total of contributions $16.95; all money raised by the congregation for current expenses and for contributions $56.30.

PAROCHIAL REPORT.

Rev. CREETUS A. DOWELL, address Sistersville, St. Paul's Church, Tyler Parish, Sistersville, Tyler county; date of organization 1902; present minister took charge April, 1903.

Church Officers—Church Wardens, Geo. F. Durham, Charles N. Kimball; other vestrymen, Geo. W. Stocking, F. D. McCoy, Ed. Roome, D. E. Thoener, C. V. Church; registrar C. V. Church, Sistersville; treasurer Geo. F. Durham, Sistersville; Supt. of Sun. School, the Rector; Sunday School Sec. and Treas. Louise S. Mullen.

Official Acts—Baptisms, adults 2, total 2; presented for confirmation since last report 8, marriages 2, burials 2, catechisings 25, public services,

Sundays 102, other days 57, total 159; Holy Communion, public 17, total 17.

Communicants—Number last reported 59, admitted by confirmation 8, added otherwise 8, total gain 16; removed without letter 10, total loss 10; net gain 6; present number total 65.

Congregation—Baptized persons connected with Parish, this includes all communicants and confirmed persons 93, confirmed persons connected with Parish 69, families 21, individuals not thus included 13, whole number of individuals 93, number of scattered communicants in your section not connected with any Parish 3, number sittings in church 175, number free sittings 175.

Rector's Salary—As pledged from this congregation $800, as pledged from other congregations $129, total $929.

Organizations—Sunday School officers and teachers, male 1, female 7, total 8; pupils, male 20, female 37, total 57; Advent offering $7.47, Lenten offering $8.77, other offerings $14.93, total Sunday School offering $31.17; Woman's Auxiliary, members 14. *Other Organizations*—Woman's Guild 12, Young Woman's Guild 15.

Property—Church, frame, insurance $1,400, value $3,500; rectory, frame, insurance $2,000, value $3,500; Organ, insurance $1,000, value $1,000, total value $8,000.

FINANCIAL REPORT.

Receipts—For all purposes—Cash on hand, per last report $20.14, pledges and Subscriptions $840.00, collections in church $478.55, Sunday School $31.17, Woman's Auxiliary, money $16.98, Woman's Auxiliary, boxes, value $15.00, Guilds, or other Societies $305.08, income from other sources $77.30, total receipts for all purposes $1,784.22.

Disbursements (1) *For current expenses*—Salary of rector $800.00, other salaries $238.30, insurance $10.20, ordinary repairs $20.00, payment on debts contracted for current expenses $281.08, other current expenses $51.95, other objects $49.67, total for current expenses $1,451.20.

Disbursements—Contributions (1). *For objects in the Parish*—Communion Alms $23.59, building and extraordinary repairs and improvements $82.15, maintaining Sunday Schools $27.25, total contributions for objects in the Parish $132.99. *Contributions* (2) *For objects in the Diocese*—Salary of Bishops $40.00, Diocesan Missions $43.33, Convocation Missions $3.00, Widows and Orphans, Aged and Disabled Clergy Fund $8.28, Religious and Theological Education $2.36, Sheltering Arms Hospital $8.04. *Other objects*—A box to Sheltering Arms Hospital $15.00, Central fund $2.00, total contributions for objects in the Diocese $122.01. *Contributions* (3) *For objects without the Diocese*—Domestic Missions General $20.00, Foreign Missions General $12.53, Brazil 4, Cuba $3.47, total Foreign Missions $40.00. *Other objects*—United offering $7.16, total contributions for objects without the Diocese $47.16.

Statement—Current expenses raised by congregation as above $1,451.67,

for objects in the Parish $132.99, for objects in the Diocese $122.01, for objects without the Diocese $47.16, total of contributions $302.16; all money raised by the congregation for current expenses and for contributions $1,784.22; cash on hand $30.86.

PAROCHIAL REPORT.

Rev. CREETUS A. DOWELL, address Sistersville. Pennsboro Mission, Pennsboro, Ritchie county; present minister took charge June, 1904.

Church Officers—Treasurer, C. Yates.

Official Acts—Public services, Sundays 1, other days 11, total 12.

Communicants—Number last reported 5, present number total 5.

Congregation—Baptized persons connected with Parish (this includes all communicants and confirmed persons 15, confirmed persons connected with Parish 5, families 4, individuals not thus included 2, whole number of individuals 22.

Rector's Salary—As pledged from this congregation $103, as pledged from other congregations $826, total $929.

Indebtedness—Due the minister $33.75.

FINANCIAL REPORT.

Receipts—For all purposes—Pledges and subscriptions $69.25, collections in church $11.25, total receipts for all purposes $80.50.

Disbursements (1) *For current expenses*—Salary of rector $69.25, other current expenses $11.25, total for current expenses $80.50.

Statement—Current expenses raised by congregation as above $80.50, all money raised by the congregation for current expenses and for contributions $80.50.

PAROCHIAL REPORT.

Rev. CREETUS A. DOWELL, address Sistersville. Cairo Mission, Cairo, Ritchie county; present minister took charge Feb., 1905.

Church Officers—Treasurer Mrs. Edith Wise.

Official Acts—Baptisms, infants 4, total 4; marriages 1, burials 1, public services, Sundays none, other days 8, total 8.

Communicants—Number last reported 13; died 1, removed without letter 1, total loss 2; net loss 2, present number total 11.

Congregation—Baptized persons connected with Parish (this includes all communicants and confirmed persons) 17, confirmed persons connected with Parish 11, families 5, whole number of individuals 17.

Rector's Salary—As pledged from this congregation $26.00, as pledged from other congregations $903.00, total $929.00.

FINANCIAL REPORT.

Receipts—For all purposes—Pledges and subscriptions $22.00, collections in church $8.00, total receipts for all purposes $30.00.

Disbursements (1) *For current expenses*—Salary of rector $22.00, other current expenses $8.00, total for current expenses $30.00.

Statement—Current expenses raised by congregation as above $30.00, all money raised by the Congregation for current expenses and for Contributions $30.00.

PAROCHIAL REPORT.

Rev. GEO. W. EASTER, address Union, Monroe county. All Saints church, All Saints Parish or Mission, Union, Monroe county; present minister took charge April 18, 1892.

Church Officers—Church Wardens, Chas. A. Shanklin, E. S. McNeer; other vestrymen, Jos. D. Logan, A. S. Johnston, Richard Mason McNeer, Jno. M. Rowern, Guy A. McClearn; registrar A. S. Johnston, address Union, W. Va.; treasurer Guy A. McClearn, Union, W. Va.; Supt. of Sun. Schools Geo. W. Easter, Union, W. Va.

Official Acts—Baptisms, infants 1, adults 1, total 2; presented for confirmation since last report 3, marriages 3, burials 1, catechisings weekly, public services, Sundays 98, other days 70, total 168; Holy Communion, public 14, total 14.

Communicants—Number last reported 35, admitted by confirmation 3, restored to communion 1, added otherwise 2, total gain 6; removed without letter 3, not otherwise accounted for 1, total loss 4; net gain 2, present number total 37.

Congregation—Baptized persons connected with Parish (this includes all communicants and confirmed persons) 72, confirmed persons connected with Parish 43, families 18, individuals not thus included 8, whole number of individuals 76, number sittings in church 180, number free sittings 180.

Rector's Salary—As pledged from this congregation $350.00, from Diocesan Missions $400.00, total $750.00.

Organizations—Sunday School, officers and teachers, male 2, female 3, total 5; pupils, male 19, female 24, total 43; Advent offering, Diocesan Mission $17.84, Lenten offering, General Missions $22.43, Diocesan Missions $3.54, other offerings, Cuba and Brazil, $2.59, Porto Rico and Mexico $1.11, Children's Home (Charleston) $2.48, total Sunday School offerings $49.99. *Other Organizations*—Parish Aid Society.

Property—Church, wood, insurance $1,350, value $2,500; rectory, brick and wood, value $1,200; other property $250, total value $3,950. *Indebtedness*—Due the minister $117.37, other debts $54.41, total indebtedness $171.78; money raised from outside sources $48.20, for what objects used, Parochial improvements.

FINANCIAL REPORT.

Receipts—For all purposes—Cash on hand, per last report $5.63, pledges and subscriptions $416.29, collections in church $294.85, Sunday School $49.99, contributions from without $48.20, income from other sources $85.22, total receipts for all purposes $900.18.

Disbursements (1) *For current expenses*—Salary of rector $374.88, other salaries $44.07, ordinary repairs $11.50, other current expenses $10.87, total for current expenses $441.32.

Disbursements—Contributions (1) *For objects in the Parish*—Communion Alms, otherwise appropriated, maintaining Sunday Schools $6.00, Sunday School Christmas Tree $9.20, total contributions for objects in the Parish $15.20. *Contributions* (2) *For objects in the Diocese*—Salary of Bishops $50.00, permanent fund $3.52, Diocesan Missions $63.92, Convocation Missions $8.35, Widows and Orphans, Aged and Disabled Clergy Fund $6.36, Religious and Theological Education $7.61, Sheltering Arms Hospital $16.23, Theological Seminary $1.97. *Other Objects*—Church at Paint Creek $10.00, Child's Home, Charleston, Sunday School $2.48, Child's Home, Charleston, congregation $24.00, total contributions for objects in the Diocese $194.44. *Contributions* (3) *For objects without the Diocese*—Domestic Missions General $27.41, colored people $3.80, Indians $1.75, deaf and dumb $4.93, through American Church Mission Society 77 cents, total Domestic Missions $38.66; Foreign Missions General $30.50, for Mexico $7.88, for Honolulu 50 cents, for Porto Rico 55 cents, Thro' American Church Missionary Society 76, Brazil $6.38, Cuba $6.37, total Foreign Missions $52.94; General Clergy Relief Fund $2.93, Bible and Prayer Book Society 59 cents, Japanese Famine Sufferers $4.19, California sufferers $10.87, total contributions for objects without the Diocese $110.18.

Statement—Current expenses raised by congregation as above $441.32, for objects in the Parish $15.20, for objects in the Diocese $194.44, for objects without the Diocese $110.18, total of contributions $319.82; all money raised by the congregation for current expenses and for contributions $761.14; cash on hand $136.88.

PAROCHIAL REPORT.

Rev. GEO. W. EASTER, address Union, Monroe county. Messiah

church, All Saints Parish, Alderson, Monroe county; present minister resumed charge July 1, 1903.

Church Officers—C. W. Vandegrift; treasurer C. W. Vandegrift, address Alderson, W. Va.

Official Acts—Public services, Sundays 4, other days 2, total 6; Holy Communion, public 1, total 1.

Communicants—Number last reported 4, present number total 4.

Congregation—Baptized persons connected with Parish (this includes all communicants and confirmed persons 5, confirmed persons connected with Parish 5, families 4, whole number of individuals 12, number sittings in church 100, number free sittings 100.

Rector's Salary—As pledged by this congregation $6.90, total $6.90.

Property—Church, wood, value $1,300, total value $1,300; due on Diocesan assessment for Bishop's Fund $6.00, apportionment for General Missions $6.00, total indebtedness $12.00.

FINANCIAL REPORT.

Receipts—For all purposes—Pledges and subscriptions $6.90, collections in church $9.61, total receipts for all purposes $16.51.

Disbursements (1) *For current expenses*—Salary of rector $6.90, other current expenses $1.20, total for current expenses $8.10.

Contributions (2) *For objects in the Diocese*—Diocesan Missions $6.31.

Contributions (3) *For objects without the Diocese*—Domestic Missions General $1.05, total Domestic Missions $1.05; Foreign Missions General $1.05, total Foreign Missions $1.05; total contributions for objects without the Diocese $2.10.

Statement—Current expenses raised by congregation as above $8.10, for objects in the Diocese $6.31, for objects without the Diocese $2.10, total of contributions $8.41; all money raised by the congregation for current expenses and for contributions $16.51.

PAROCHIAL REPORT.

Rev. JAMES LOGAN FISH, address Davis. St. Barnabas church, Davis, Tucker county; date of organization 1894; present minister took charge 1899.

Church Officers—Church Wardens, St. Barnabas, A. G. McNiell, Robert Knox; other vestrymen, H. N. Walters, J. M. Smith, H. H. Weaver, J. W. Felton, H. L. Best, H. D. Worden, C. H. Sutton, John L. Fish; registrar John L. Fish, address Davis; treasurer Mrs. L. M. Vernet, address Davis; Supt. of Sun. Schools John L. Fish; S. S. Sec. & Treas. Miss Margie Weimer.

Official Acts—Baptisms, infants 22, adults 3, total 25; presented for confirmation since last report 5, burials 3, catechisings 20, public services, Sundays 78, other days 64, total 142; Holy Communion, public 14, private 2, total 16.

Communicants—Number last reported 42, admitted by confirmation 5, total gain 5; died 1, removed withotu letter 3, total loss 4; net gain 1; present number total 43.

Congregation—Baptized persons connected with Parish (this includes all communicants and confirmed persons) 89; confirmed persons connected with Parish 3, families 24, whole number of individuals 92, number sittings in church 120, number free sittings 120.

Rector's Salary—As pledged from this congregation $400; General Mission Board $50.00, total $450.00.

Organizations—Sunday School, officers and teachers, male 1, female 3, total 4; pupils, male 15, female 20, total 35; Advent offering $8.00; Lenten offering $19.00, other offerings $11.00, Total Sunday School offerings $38.00. *Other Organizations*—Ladies' Guild, whose objects is to aid in working for the general good of the church.

Property—Church, frame, insurance $800, value $1,400; rectory, frame, insurance $2,000, value $3,000, total value, insurance $2,800, value $4,400.

Indebtedness—On rectory $2,000, total indebtedness $2,000.

FINANCIAL REPORT.

Receipts—For all purposes—Pledges and subscriptions $312.27, collections in church $87.73, thank offerings $10.00, Sunday School $38.00, Guilds, or other Societies $204.37, contributions from without $151.00, total receipts for all purposes $803.37.

Disbursements (1). *For current expenses*—Salary of rector $450.00, insurance $13.60, interest on debt $120.00, other current expenses $39.35, total for current expenses $622.95.

Disbursements—Contributions (1) *For objects in the Parish*—Building and extraordinary repairs and improvements $132.42, maintaining Sunday Schools $14.00, total contributions for objects in the Parish $146.42. *Contributions* (2) *For objects in the Diocese*—Salary of Bishops $8.00, Diocesan Missions $8.00, Convocation Missions $4.00, Sheltering Arms Hospital $4.00, total contributions for objects in the Diocese $24.00. *Contributions* (3) *For objects without the Diocese*—Domestic Missions General $10.00, total Domestic Missions $10.00; total contributions for objects without the Diocese $10.00.

Statement—Current expenses raised by congregation as above $622.95, for objects in the Parish $146.42, for objects in the Diocese $24.00, for objects without the Diocese $10.00, total of contributions $180.42; all money raised by the congregation for current expenses and for contributions $802.37; cash on hand $1.00.

Remarks—We have three communicants at Douglas where occasional services are held. We received from this place $8.00 Easter offering.

PAROCHIAL REPORT.

Rev. JAMES LOGAN FISH, address Davis, Grace Church, Elkins, Randolph county; present minister took charge 1899.

Church Officers—Church Wardens, Grace Church, C. H. Scott, W. Greer; other vestrymen, John F. Lingamfelter, John Lacy Dunlap, Charles Stiffler, Gordon Greer; registrar John F. Lingamfelter, address Elkins; treasurer John F. Lingamfelter; Supt. of Sun. Schools John Lacy Dunlap, Elkins; S. S. Sec. & Treas. John Lacy Dunlap; Lay Reader Chas. H. Scott.

Official Acts—Baptisms, infants 1, total 1; presented for confirmation since last report 5; burials 1, catechisings 10; public services, Sundays 50, other days 6, total 56; Holy Communion, public 12, total 12.

Communicants—Number last reported 34, admitted by confirmation 5, total gain 5; transferred 1, removed without letter 3, lapsed 1, total loss 5; present number total 34.

Congregation—Baptized persons connected with Parish, this includes all communicants and confirmed persons 83, confirmed persons connected with Parish 9, families 25, individuals not thus included 8, whole number of individuals 100, number of scattered communicants in your section not connected with any Parish 9, number sittings in church 120, number free sittings 120.

Rector's Salary—As pledged from this congregation $300, total $300.

Organizations—Sunday School, officers and teachers, male 1, female 2, total 3; pupils, male 10, female 15, total 25; Advent offering $1.50, Lenten offering $10.37, other offerings $11.22, total Sunday School offerings $23.09. *Other Organizations*—Young Lades' Guild, whose object is to care for the Chancel and raise money for church expenses.

Property—Church, frame, insurance $1,400, value $2,900; rectory, frame, insurance $1,000, value $2,000; other property, one lot, value $1,800, total value $6,700. *Indebtedness*—On rectory $1,750; on other property, one lot $1,100; other debts, interest account $1.38, total indebtedness $2,888.

FINANCIAL REPORT.

Receipts—For all purposes—Pledges and subscriptions $153.04, collections in church $124.47, interest from investments $220.00, Sunday School $17.30, contributions from without $20.00, total receipts for all purposes $534.81.

Disbursements (1) *For current expenses*—Salary of rector $300.00, interest on debt $69.00, other current expenses $50.93, balance on hand $7.81; total for current expenses $427.74.

Disbursements—Contributions (1) *For objects in the Parish*—Building and extraordinary repairs and improvements $52.93, maintaining Sunday Schools $17.14, total contributions for objects in the Parish $70.07. *Contributions* (2) *For objects in the Diocese*—Salary of Bishops $10.00, Diocesan Missions $10.00, Convocation Missions $5.00, Sheltering Arms Hospital $2.00, total contributions for objects in the Diocese $27.00. *Contributions* (3) *For objects without the Diocese*—Domestic Missions General $10.00, total Domestic Missions $10.00, total contributions for objects without the Diocese $10.00.

Statement—Current expenses raised by congregation as above $427.74, for objects in the Parish $70.07, for objects in the Diocese $27.00, for objects without the Diocese $10.00, total of contributions $107.07; all money raised by the congregation for current expenses and for contributions $802.37; cash on hand $1.00.

Remarks—We have communicants at Huttonsville, Coalton, Harding, Union and Beverly; but have not regular services at these places.

PAROCHIAL REPORT.

Rev. JAMES LOGAN FISH, address Davis, Trinity Mission, Belington, Barbour county; date of organization none.

Official Acts—Public services, Sundays 1, total 1.

Communicants—Number last reported 6, added otherwise 1, total 7; transferred 4; present number total 3.

Congregation—Baptized persons connected with Parish, this includes all communicants and confirmed persons 7, confirmed persons connected with Parish 2, families 3.

Remarks—No income. We have been unable to hold regular services at Belington. We still hold the lot for which we paid $500. We have an organ, pulpit, Communion Rail, chairs, kneeling benches, etc.

PAROCHIAL REPORT.

Rev. JAMES LOGAN FISH, address Davis, Thomas Mission, Thomas, Tucker county.

Church fficers—Church, Thomas Mission; registrar H. Blockridge.
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Official Acts—Marriages 1, public services, Sundays 10, total 10; Holy Communion, private 1, total 1.

Communicants—Number last reported 8, present number total 8.

Congregation—Baptized persons connected with Parish, this includes

all communicants and confirmed persons 20, confirmed persons connected with Parish 8, families 7, individuals not thus included 7, whole number of individuals 35.

FINANCIAL REPORT.

Receipts—For all purposes—Collections in church $5.00.

Disbursements (1) *For current expenses*—Salary of rector $5.00.

Statement—Current expenses raised by congregation as above $5.00, total of contributions $5.00.

PAROCHIAL REPORT.

Rev. JAMES LOGAN FISH, address Davis; Parsons Mission.

Official Acts—Public services, Sundays 4, total 4.

Communicants—Number last reported 7, added otherwise 5, total gain 5; net gain 5, present number total 12.

Congregation—Baptized persons connected with Parish, this includes all communicants and confirmed persons 28, confirmed persons connected with Parish 12, families 10, individuals not thus included 4, whole number of individuals 32.

FINANCIAL REPORT.

Receipts—For all purposes—Pledges and subscriptions $5.00, collections in church $1.00, total receipts for all purposes $6.00.

Disbursements (1) *For current expenses*—Salary of rector $6.00, total for current expenses $6.00.

Statement—Current expenses raised by congregation as above $6.00; all money raised by the congregation for current expenses and for contributions $6.00.

Remarks—Services are at present held in Southern Methodist Church. When services cannot be held regular visits are made and communicants kept in touch with the Church.

PAROCHIAL REPORT.

Rev. JAMES LOGAN FISH, Bayard Mission, Bayard, Grant county.

Official Acts—Public services, Sundays none, other days 1.

Congregation—Baptized persons connected with Parish, this includes all communicants and confirmed persons 9, confirmed persons connected

with Parish 4, families 3, individuals not thus included 2, whole number of individuals 11; number sittings in church 120, number free sittings 120.

Rector's Salary—As pledged from this congregation $50.00 total $50.00.

FINANCIAL REPORT.

Receipts—For all purposes—Pledges and subscriptions $50.00, total receipts for all purposes $50.00.

Disbursements (1) *For current expenses*—Salary of rector $50.00; total for current expenses $50.00.

Statement—Current expenses raised by congregation as above $50.00, all money raised by the congregation for current expenses and for contributions $50.00.

Remarks—Circumstances have been such that only one service has been held in Bayard during the past year. We expect services will be resumed this Summer. There does not at present seem to be any probability of our being able to use the lot we own in the town of Bayard; we have it in reserve for future developments.

PAROCHIAL REPORT.

Rev. J. HOWARD GIBBONS, address Point Pleasant, Christ church. Point Pleasant Parish, Pt. Pleasant, Mason county; present minister took charge April, 1901.

Church Officers—Church Wardens, Hon. P. C. Eastham, Hon. J. W. English; other vestrymen, Hon. J. S. Spencer, Hon. Rankin Wiley, Col. J. P. R. B. Smith, Mr. C. C. Bowyer, Mr. J. W. C. Heslop, Mr. L. S. Pomeroy; registrar Hon. J. W. English, address Point Pleasant; treasurer Mr. C. C. Bowyer, Pt. Pleasant; Supt. of Sun. Schools Hon. P. C. Eastham, Pt. Pleasant; S. S. Sec. & Treas. Miss K. B. Stribling.

Official Acts—Marriages 3, burials 6, public services, Sundays 54, other days 55, total 109; Holy Communion, public 13, total 13.

Communicants—Number last reported 62, died 2, transferred 1, total loss 3; net loss 3; present number total 59.

Congregation—Baptized persons connected with Parish, this includes all communicants and confirmed persons 164, confirmed persons connected with Parish 59, families 53, whole number of individuals 122, number sittings in church (free) 250.

Rector's Salary—As pledged from this congregation $380, from Diocesan Missions $220, as pledged from other congregations $200, total $800.

Organizations—Sunday School, officers and teachers, male 1, female 3, total 3; pupils, male 19, female 5, total 24; Advent offering $6.83, Lenten offering $7.05, other offerings $19.05, Children's Home, Charleston $1.00,

total Sunday School offerings $33.93; Woman's Auxiliary, members 16, Ladies' Guild 24, Babies' Branch W. A., 17.

Property—Church, brick, insurance $4,000, value $6,000, total value $6,000.

FINANCIAL REPORT.

Receipts—For all purposes—Cash on hand, per last report $153.56, pledges and subscriptions $558.50, collections in church $167.57, Special Easter offering $570.42, Sunday School $33.93, Woman's Auxiliary, money $40.75; Guilds $22364; contributions from without $50.00; sale of old rectory $225.25; total receipts for all purposes $2,023.62.

Disbursements (1) *For current expenses*—Salary of rector $380.00, other salaries $64.75, insurance $67.00, other current expenses $27.90, total for current expenses $539.65.

Disbursements—Contributions (1) *For objects in the Parish*—Communion Alms $24.48, building and extraordinary repairs and improvements $123.24, maintaining Sunday Schools $14.29, other objects $70.05, expended for new rectory $35.30, total contributions for objects in the Parish $267.36. *Contributions* (2) *For objects in the Diocese*—Salary of Bishops $50.00, permanent fund $3.00, Diocesan Missions $50.00, Convocation Missions $5.00, Widows and Orphans, Aged and Disabled Clergy Fund $3.00, Religious and Theological Education $2.00, Sheltering Arms Hospital $10.00, Theological Seminary $2.00, Bishop's Special Fund $5.00, other objects $11.00, Paint Creek Chapel $4.00, Advent offering S. S. for Domestic Missions $6.83, Children's Home, Charleston $1.00, total contributions for objects in the Diocese $152.83. *Contributions* (3) *For objects without the Diocese*—Domestic Missions General $25.00, total Domestic Missions $25.00; Foreign Missions General $25.00, total Foreign Missions $25.00; General Clergy Relief Fund $2.00, other objects $20.75, Lenten S. S. offering for Missions $7.05, Education Society of Virginia $2.00, total contributions for objects without the Diocese $81.80.

Statement—Current expenses raised by congregation as above $539.65, for objects in the Parish $267.36, for objects in the Diocese $152.83, for objects without the Diocese $81.80, total of contributions $501.99; all money raised by the congregation for current expenses and for contributions $1,041.64; cash on hand $981.98.

Remarks—Aid to the amount of $220 for all of the work under my care is received fro mthe Domestic Missions Society and is reported only under Christ Church.

PAROCHIAL REPORT.

Rev. J. HOWARD GIBBONS, address Pt. Pleasant, Bruce Chapel, Pt. Pleasant Parish, Elwell, Mason county; present minister took charge April, 1901.

Church Officers—Other Vestrymen, Mr. J. M. H. Beale, Mr. E. L. Neale, Mr. J. Moore; Supt. of Sun. Schools Miss Vause Beale, Beale, W. Va.; S. S. Sec. & Treas., Miss Mary Beale.

Official Acts—Baptisms, infants 1, total 1; burials 1, catechisings 2, public services, Sundays 22, other days 11, total 33; Holy Communion, public 5, total 5.

Communicants—Number last reported 27, present number total 27.

Congregation—Baptized persons connected with Parish, this includes all communicants and confirmed persons 45, confirmed persons connected with Parish 27, families 16, whole number of individuals 60; number sittings in church (free) 125.

Rector's Salary—As pledged from this congregation $150, total $150.

Organizations—Sunday School, officers and teachers, male 1, female 5, total 6; pupils, male 10, female 12, total 22; Advent offering $4.00, Lenten offering $2.53, other offerings $3.94, total Sunday School offering $10.47.

Property—Chapel, brick, insurance $1,000, value $1,500, total value, insurance $1,000, value $1,500.

FINANCIAL REPORT.

Receipts—For all purposes—Pledges and subscriptions $150, collections in church $51.35, Sunday School $10.47, total receipts for all purposes $211.82.

Disbursements (1) *For current expenses*—Salary of rector $150, total for current expenses $150.

Disbursements—Contributions (1) *For objects in the Parish*—Building and extraordinary repairs and improvements $8.88, maintaining Sunday Schools $3.94, total contributions for objects in the Parish $12.82. *Contributions* (2) *For objects in the Diocese*—Salary of Bishops $12.00, Diocesan Missions $12.00, S. S. Advent offering for Diocesan Missions $4.00, total contributions for objects in the Diocese $28.00. *Contributions* (3) *For objects without the Diocese*—Domestic Missions General $6.00, total Domestic Missions $6.00; Foreign Missions General $6.00, total Foreign Missions $6.00; S. S. Lenten offering for Missions $2.53, total contributions for objects without the Diocese $14.53.

Statement—Current expenses raised by congregation as above $150.00, for objects in the Parish $12.82, for objects in the Diocese $28.00, for objects without the Diocese $14.53, total of contributions $55.35; all money raised by the congregation for current expenses and for contributions $205.35; cash on hand $6.47.

PAROCHIAL REPORT.

Rev. J. HOWARD GIBBONS, address Pt. Pleasant, Spilman Chapel, Pt. Pleasant Parish, Mason county; present minister took charge April, 1901.

Church Officers—Church Wardens, Mr. H. E. Spilman, Mr. M. G. Tyler; treasurer Mr. H. E. Spilman, address Spilman, W. Va.; Supt. of Sunday

Schools Miss Virginia Belian, address West Columbia, W. Va.; S. S. Sec. & Treas., Mrs. M. G. Tyler.

Official Acts—Baptisms, infants 1, total 1; presented for confirmation since last report 2, burials 1, catechisings 1, public services, Sundays 11, other days 10, total 21; Holy Communion, public 4, total 4.

Communicants—Number last reported 25, admitted by confirmation 2, total gain 2; died 1, total loss 1; net gain 1; present number total 26.

Congregation—Baptized persons connected with Parish, this includes all communicants and confirmed persons 62, confirmed persons connected with Parish 27, families 18, whole number of individuals 70, number sittings in church (free) 125.

Rector's Salary—As pledged from this congregation $50.00, total $50.00.

Organizations—Sunday School, officers and teachers, female 3, total 3; pupils, male 10, female 14, total 24; Advent offering $2.00, Lenten offering $4.13, other offerings $21.70, total Sunday School offerings $27.83.

Property—Church, brick, insurance $1,500, value $1,800; total value, insurance $1,500, value $1,800.

FINANCIAL REPORT.

Receipts—For all purposes—Cash on hand, per last report 85 cents, pledges and subscriptions $50.00, collections in church $73.65, Sunday School $27.83, total receipts for all purposes $152.33.

Disbursements (1) *For current expenses*—Salary of rector $50.00, other salaries $2.00, insurance $17.50, other objects $4.00, total for current expenses $73.50.

Disbursements—Contributions (1) *For objects in the Parish*—Maintaining Sunday Schools $10.22, other objects $22.00, total contributions for objects in the Parish $32.22. *Contributions* (2) *For objects in the Diocese*—Salary of Bishops $10.00, Diocesan Missions $10.00, S. S. Advent offering for Diocesan Missions $2.00, total contributions for objects in the Diocese $22.00. *Contributions* (3) *For objects without the Diocese*—Domestic Missions General $5.00, total Domestic Missions $5.00; Foreign Missions General $5.00, total Foreign Missions $5.00; American Church building fund $3.00, S. S. Lenten offering for Missions $4.13, total contributions for objects without the Diocese $17.13.

Statement—Current expenses raised by congregation as above $73.50, for objects in the Parish $32.22, for objects in the Diocese $22.00, for objects without the Diocese $17.13, total of contributions $71.35; all money raised by the congregation for current expenses and for contributions $152.33; cash on hand $7.48.

Winfield—Number of services, Sunday 2; Weekday 1; burials 1; communicants 3. Special fund $5.00. Morning Star School House—Two services.

J. HOWARD GIBBONS, Rector.

PAROCHIAL REPORT.

Rev. G. A. GIBBONS, address Romney. St. Stephens Church, Romney Mission, Romney, Hampshire county; date of organization July, 1885; present minister took charge July 1, 1885.

Church Officers—Church Wardens, G. W. Parsons, Wm. N. Baird; treasurer G. W. Parsons, Miss Keller assistant, address Romney; Supt. of Sun. Schools Wm. D. Rusmisell, Romney, W. Va.; S. S. Sec. & Treas. Mrs. G. W. Parsons.

Official Acts—Baptisms, infants 1, total 1; presented for confirmation since last report 7; burials 2, catechisings 4, public services, Sundays 26, other days 10, total 36; Holy Communion, public 4, total 4.

Communicants—Number last reported 30, received by letter 1, admitted by confirmation 6, restored to communion 1, added otherwise 1, total gain 9; transferred 1, removed without letter 2, not otherwise accounted for 1, total loss 4; net gain 5; present number total 35.

Congregation—Baptized persons connected with Parish, this includes all communicants and confirmed persons 45, confirmed persons connected with Parish 35, families 17, individuals not thus included 4, whole number of individuals 49, number sittings in church 200, number free sittings 200, number sittings in Chapel 100.

Rector's Salary—As pledged from this congregation $100, from Diocesan Missions $450, as pledged from other congregations $175, from Convocation Missions $50, total $775.

Organizations—Sunday School, officers and teachers, male 1, female 3, total 4; pupils, male 7, female 12, total 19; Advent offering $26.18, Lenten offering $32.30, other offerings $10.00. Total Sunday School offerings $68.48; Woman's Auxiliary, members 8 cents.

Property—Church, brick, insurance $1,200, value $1,800; Chapel, frame, insurance $400, value $700; Rectory, frame insurance $1,000, value $1,900, total value, insurance $2,600, value $4,400; money raised from outside sources $150; for what objects used, repairs on church and rectory.

FINANCIAL REPORT.

Receipts—For all purposes—Pledges and subscriptions $264.40, collections in church $108.82, thank offerings (Bishops special) $10.00, Sunday School $68.48, Woman's Auxiliary, money $5.00, Guilds, or other Societies $27.25, contributions from without $150.00, total receipts for all purposes $672.95.

Disbursements (1) *For current expenses*—Salary of rector $100.00; other salaries $22.75; insurance $9.00; ordinary repairs $24.94; other current expenses $14.19; Cistern $52.29; total for current expenses $223.17.

Disbursements—Contributions (1) *For objects in the Parish*—Communion Alms $19.49; building and extraordinary repairs and improve-

ments $219.38; other objects $10.00; total contributions for objects in the Parish $248.87. *Contributions* (2) *For objects in the Diocese*—Salary of Bishops $16.00; permanent fund $2.00; Diocesan Missions $42.18; Convocation Missions $17.00; Widows and Orphans, Aged and Disabled Clergy Fund $3.00; Religious and Theological Education $7.82; Sheltering Arms Hospital $2.00; Bishop's Special Fund $10.00; other objects, Woman's Auxiliary $5.00; new Church $5.00; new rectory $6.00; total contributions for objects in the Diocese $116.00. *Contributions* (3) *For objects without the Diocese*—Domestic Missions General $24.15; total Domestic Missions $24.15; Foreign Missions General $24.15; total Foreign Missions $24.15; General Clergy Fund $7.00; other objects $10.00; total contributions for objects without the Diocese $65.30.

Statement—Current expenses raised by congregation as above $223.17; for objects in the Parish $134.38; for objects in the Diocese $116.00; for objects without the Diocese $65.30; total of contributions $315.68; all money raised by the congregation for current expenses and for contributions $538.85; cash on hand $34.10.

Remarks—Special fund $10.00.

PAROCHIAL REPORT.

Rev. GEO. A. GIBBONS, address Romney, W. Va., Emmanuel Church, Emmanuel Parish, Moorefield, Hardy county; date of organization 1878; present minister took charge July 1st., 1885.

Church Officers—Church Wardens, Thomas Lakin; other vestrymen, Wm. H. Shearer, P. W. Inskeep, F. S. Randolph, I. V. Seymour; registrar, Wm. H. Shearer, address Moorefield, W. Va.; treasurer, Registrar and Mrs. Ida V. Woods assistant, address Moorefield, W. Va.; Supt. of Sunday Schools Mrs. Annie W. Shearer, Moorefield, W. Va.; S. S. Sec. & Treas., Mrs. Wm. H. Shearer.

Official Acts—Baptisms, infants 5, adults 2, total 7; presented for confirmation since last report 4; burials 2; catechisings 5; public services, Sundays 44; other days 4, total 48; Holy Communion, public 5, private 1, total 6.

Communicants—Number last reported 33; admitted by confirmation 4; total gain 4; died 1, transferred 1, removed without letter 4, not otherwise accounted for 2, total loss 8; net loss 4; present number total 29.

Congregation—Baptized persons connected with Parish; this includes all communicants and confirmed persons, 55; confirmed persons connected with Parish 30; families 15; whole number of individuals 55; number sittings in church 200; number free sitings 200; number sittings in Sunday School Room 125.

Rector's Salary—As pledged from this congregation $150; from Diocesan

Missions $450; as pledged from other congregations $125; from Convocation Missions $50.00, total $775.

Organizations—Sunday School, officers and teachers, male 1, female 4, total 5; pupils, male 9, female 12, total 21; Advent offering $1.60; Lenten offering $4.05; total Sunday School offerings $5.65.

Property—Church, frame, insurance $1,200, value $3,000; rectory, frame, insurance $1,200, value $3,000; Sunday School Room, frame, insurance $750, value $1,400, total value, insurance $3,150; value $6,400. *Indebtedness*—Due the Minister $30.00, total indebtedness $30.00; money raised from outside sources $75.00; for what objects used, repairs on church.

FINANCIAL REPORT.

Receipts—For all purposes—Pledges and subscriptions $175.00; collections in church $67.80; Sunday School $5.65; Woman's Auxiliary, boxes, value, $12.00; Guilds, or other Societies $75.00; contributions from without $87.00; total receipts for all purposes $398.45.

Disbursements (1) *For current expenses*—Salary of rector $130.00; other salaries $30.00; ordinary repairs $65.00; other current expenses $10.00: total for current expenses $235.00.

Disbursements—Contributions (1) *For objects in the Parish*—Building and extraordinary repairs and improvements $45.00; water in rectory $20.00, total contributions for objects in the Parish $65.00. *Contributions* (2 *For objects in the Diocese*—Salary of Bishops $20.00; Diocesan Missions $20.00; Widows and Orhpans, Aged and Disabled Clergy Fund $2.00; Sheltering Arms Hospital $1.70; other objects $12.00; total contributions for objects in the Diocese $75.70. *Contributions* (3) *For objects without the Diocese*—Domestic Missions General $10.00; total Domestic Missions $10.00; Foreign Missions General $10.00; total Foreign Missions $10.00; total contributions for objects without the Diocese $20.00.

Statement—Current expenses raised by congregation as above $235.40; for objects in the Parish $65.00; for objects in the Diocese $75.70; for objects without the Diocese $20.00, total of contributions $160.70; all money raised by the congregation for current expenses and for contributions $395.70; cash on hand $2.75.

PAROCHIAL REPORT.

Rev. G. A. GIBBONS, address Romney, W. Va. Epiphany Church, Okonoko, Mission, Okonoko, Hampshire county; date of organization 1881; present minister took charge 1885.

Church Officers—Church Wardens, H. M. Russell, Okonoko, W. Va.; registrar, E. W. McGill, address Okonoko, W. Va.; treasurer, Mrs. Arabella Russell, Okonoko, W. Va.

Official Acts—Baptisms, infants 3, total 3; public services, Sundays 14, total 14; Holy Communion, public 3, total 3.

Communicants—Number last reported 10; admitted by confirmation 1; total gain 1; died 1; removed without letter 2; total loss 2; net loss 2; tings in church 150; number free sittings 150.

Congregation—Baptized persons connected with Parish, this includes all communicants and confirmed persons, 12; confirmed persons connected with Parish 8; families 4; whole number of individuals 14; number sittings in church 150; number free sittings 150.

Rector's Salary—As pledged from this congregation $25.00; from Diocesan Missions $450.00; as pledged from other congregations $250.00; from Convocation Missions $50.00; total $775.00.

Property—Church, frame, insurance $1,000, value $1,500.

FINANCIAL REPORT.

Receipts—For all purposes—Pledges and subscriptions $37.00; collections in church $14.00, total receipts for all purposes $51.00.

Disbursements (1) *For current expenses*—Salary of rector $27.00.

Disbursements—Contributions (2) *For objects in the Diocese*—Salary of Bishops $10.00; permanent fund $1.00; Diocesan Missions $10.00; Widows and Orphans, Aged and Disabled Clergy Fund $1.00; Religious and Theological Education $2.00, total contributions for objects in the Diocese $24.00.

Statement—Current expenses raised by congregation as above $27.00; for objects in the Diocese $24.00; all money raised by the congregation for current expenses and for contributions $51.00.

PAROCHIAL REPORT.

Rev. G. A. GIBBONS, address Romney W. Va.; Paw Paw, Morgan county; present minister took charge 1893.

Official Acts—Baptisms, infants 3, total 3.

Communicants—Number last reported 5; removed without leter 3, total loss 3; net loss 3; present number total 2.

Congregation—Families 2; whole number of individuals 6.

FINANCIAL REPORT.

Receipts—For all purposes—Pledges and subscriptions $19.25; collections in church $6.16, total receipts for all purposes $25.41.

Disbursements (1) *For current expenses*—Salary of rector $19.25, total for current expenses $19.25.

Disbursements (2) *For objects in the Diocese*—Diocesan Missions $4.16; Religious and Theological Education $2.00; total contributions for objects in the Diocese $6.16.

Statement—Current expenses raised by congregation as above $19.25; for objects in the Diocese $6.16, total of contributions $6.16; all money raised by the congregation for current expenses and for contributions $25.41.

Remarks—I very much regret to state that the one main family at Paw Paw, consisting of three faithful members and communicants, my faithful standby, recently moved away, thus making it quite impossible for us to continue services here once a month, since we have no one left to feel interest enough to open the school house, and put it in condition for service.

PAROCHIAL REPORT.

Rev. JNO. S. GIBSON, address Trinity Rectory, Huntington, W. Va. Trinity Church, Cabell Parish, Huntington, Cabell county; date of organization 1872; present minister took charge 1892.

Church Officers—Church Wardens, Cameron L. Thompson, Edmund Sehon; other vestrymen, F. B. Enslow, G. A. Northcott, C. D. Emmons, F. D. Fuller, T. L. Trimmer, F. R. Van Antwerp, John W. Ensign, Robert L. Archer, Thos. W. Moore; registrar, C. D. Emmons, address Huntington; treasurer, G. A. Northcott, address Huntington; Supt. of Sunday Schools, G. A. Northcott, Huntington.

Official Acts—Baptisms, infants 5, adults 1, total 6; presented for confirmation since last report 7; marriages 3; burials 13; catechisings 30; public services, Sundays 125; other days 40, total 165; Holy Communion, public 25, total 25.

Communicants—Number last reported 205; admitted by confirmation 7; added otherwise 11; total gain 18; died 1, transferred 2; removed without letter 5; total loss 8; net gain 10; present number total 215.

Congregation—Baptized persons connected with Parish, this includes all communicants and confirmed persons, 440; confirmed persons connected with Parish 230; families 74; individuals not thus included 81; whole number of individuals 471; number sittings in church (all free) 425; number sittings in chapel 75.

Rector's Salary—As pledged from this congregation $1,200; total $1,200.

Organizations—Sunday School, officers and teachers, male 3, female 9, total 12; pupils, male 30, female 36, total 66; Advent offering $20.40; Lenten offering $38.50; other offerings $108.24; total Sunday School offering $167.14; Woman, Auxiliary, members 11. *Other Organizations*—Ladies' Aid Society 40; Trinity Guild 30; Junior Auxiliary 5.

Property—Church, brick, insurance $8,000; value $20,500; rectory, brick, insurance $3,000, value $6,000, total value $26,500.

FINANCIAL REPORT.

Receipts—For all purposes—Total receipts for all purposes $3,551.78. *Disbursements* (1) *For Current expenses*—Salary of rector $1,200; other salaries $550.00; insurance $115.00; ordinary repairs $113.25; other current expenses $213.35; other objects $239.94; total for current expenses $2,431.54.

Disbursements—Contributions (1) *For objects in the Parish*—Building and extraordinary repairs and improvements $237.50; Parish Missions $16.01; maintaining Sunday Schools $87.00; other objects $155.44; total contributions for objects in the Parish $495.95. *Contributions* (2) *For objects in the Diocese*—Salary of Bishops $100.00; permanent fund $5.83; Diocesan Missions $122.80; Convocation Missions $13.00; Widows and Orphans, Aged and Disabled Clergy Fund $38.65; Religious and Theological Education $7.07; Sheltering Arms Hospital $95.00; Bishop's Special Fund $68.50; other objects $20.00; total contributions for objects in the Diocese $470.85. *Contributions* (3) *For objects without the Diocese*—Domestic Missions General $55.00, total Domestic Missions $55.00; Foreign Missions General $48.50; for Japan $8.50; Brazil $6.00; total Foreign Missions $63.00; special boxes, &c., $30.69; American Church Building Fund $2.75; General Clergy Relief Fund $2.00; total contributions for objects without the Diocese $153.44.

Statement—Current expenses raised by congregation as above $2,431.54; for objects in the Parish $495.95; for objects in the Diocese $470.85; for objects without the Diocese $153.44; total of contributions $1,120.24; all money raised by the Congregation for current expenses and for contributions $3,551.78.

PAROCHIAL REPORT.

Rev. JNO. S. GIBSON, address Huntingon. Grace Church, Wayne Mission, Kenova, Wayne county; present minister took charge 1892.

Church Officers—Other vestrymen—F. R. Peck, R. Ney Williams; treasurer, F. R. Peck, address Kenova, W. Va.

Official Acts—Public services, Sundays 50, other days 5, total 55; Holy Communion, public 6, total 6.

Communicants—Number last reported 11; transferred 3; removed without letter 2; not otherwise accounted for 1; total loss 6; net gain 6; present number total 5.

Congregation—Baptized persons connected with Parish, this includes

all communicants and confirmed persons, 10; confirmed persons connected wih Parish 6; whole number of individuals 12; number sittings in church 150; number free sittings 150.

FINANCIAL REPORT.

Receipts—For all purposes—Total receipts for all purposes $214.34.

Disbursements (1) *For current expenses*—Salary of rector $120.00; insurance $36.00; ordinary repairs $5.85; other current expenses $18.00; total for current expenses $179.85.

Disbursements—Contributions (2) *For objects in the Diocese*—Salary of Bishops $5.00; Diocesan Missions $5.00; Widows and Orphans, Aged and Disabled Clergy Fund $3.80; Sheltering Arms Hospital $4.30; Bishop's Special Fund $1.00; total contributions for objects in the Diocese $19.10. *Contributions* (3) *For objects without the Diocese*—Domestic Missions General $2.00; total Domestic Missions $2.00; Foreign Missions General $2.15; total Foreign Missions $4.15.

Statement—Current expenses raised by congregation as above $179.85; for objects in the Diocese $19.10; for objects without the Diocese $4.15; total of contributions $23.25; all money raised by the congregation for current expenses and for contributions $203.10; cash on hand $11.24.

Remarks—Continued removals have left the Mission but a "remnant."

PAROCHIAL REPORT.

Rev. JNO. S. GIBSON, address Huntington, W. Va. St. Paul's Church, Mingo Mission, Williamson, Mingo county; date of organization Sept. 5th, 1905; present minister took charge 1902.

Church Officers—Other vestrymen, Wm. Logan French, B. Randolph Bias, L. A. Sampselle; registrar, Wm. L. French, address Williamson, W. Va.; treasurer, B. Randolph Bias, address Williamson.

Official Acts—Baptisms, infants 1, total 1; presented for confirmation since last report 1, marriages 2; Public services, Sundays none, other days 16, total 16; Holy Communion, public 5, total 5.

Communicants—Number last reported 10; received by letter 6; admitted by confirmation 1; added otherwise 2; total gain 9; transferred 5; removed without letter 7; total loss 12; net gain 3; present number total 7.

Congregation—Baptized persons connected with Parish, this includes all communicants and confirmed persons, 20; confirmed persons connected with Parish 8; families 3; Individuals not thus included 4; whole number of individuals 25; number of scattered communicants in your section not connected with any Parish 2.

Rector's Salary—As pledged from this congregation, no pledge.

Property—Two lots 25x100 feet each, worth $1,000 for both.

FINANCIAL REPORT.

Receipts—For all purposes—Total receipts for all purposes $136.50.

Disbursements (1) *For current expenses*—Salary of rector $122.00; current expenses $12.00, total for current expenses $134.00.

Disbursements—Contributions (2) *For objects in the Diocese*—Diocesan Missions $1.50, total contributions for objects in the Diocese $1.50. *Contributions* (3) *For objects without the Diocese*—Domestic Missions General 50 cents, total Domestic Missions 50 cents; Foreign Missions General 50 cents, total Foreign Missions 50 cents; total contributions for objects without the Diocese $1.00.

Statement—Current expenses raised by congregation as above $134.00; for objects in the Diocese $1.50; for objects without the Diocese $1.00, total of contributions $2.50; all money raised by the congregation for current expenses and for contributions $136.50.

Remarks—The Mission was organized in Sept., 1905, having then 19 communicants. Messrs. Chas. C. Coe, Wm. R. French, B. Randolph Bias, L. A. Sampselle and Frederick W. Calloway were made vestrymen, but by June 1st, 1905, removals from Williamson left seven (7) communicants —several may be away only temporarily.

PAROCHIAL REPORT.

Rev. ANDREW G. GRINNAN, address Weston, W. Va. St. Paul's Church, St. Paul's Parish, Weston, Lewis county; date of organization 1848; present minister took charge 1900.

Church Officers—Church Wardens, H. C. Bailey, R. H. Harrison; other vestrymen, E. G. Davisson, W. Ralston, E. M. Vandervort, Louis Bennett, A. H. Warren, M. B. Ralston, J. S. Mitchell; registrar, E. M. Vandervort, address Weston; treasurer, H. C. Bailey, address Weston; Supt. of Sun. Schools, Rector.

Official Acts—Baptisms, infants 3, adults 1, total 4; marriages 2; burials 7; catechisings many; public services, Sundays 109; other days 56, total 165; Holy Communion, public 30, private none, total 30.

Communicants—Number last reported 82; admitted by confirmation 4, total gain 4; removed without letter 8, total loss 8; net loss 4; present number total 78.

Congregation—Baptized persons connected with Parish, this includes all communicants and confirmed persons, 205; confirmed persons connected with Parish 96; families 63; individuals not thus included 20; whole number of individuals 205; number sittings in Church 300; number sittings in Sunday School Room 150.

Rector's Salary—As pledged from this congregation $800.

Organizations—Sunday School, officers and teachers, male 1; female 5, total 6; pupils, male 30, female 42, total 72; Advent offering $34.05; Lenten

offering $41.57; other offerings $32.66; Memorial Window $155.44, total Sunday School offerings $263.72; Woman's Auxiliary, members 18; Daughters of King 9.

Property—Church, stone, insurance $9,000, value $18,000; rectory, wood, insurance $1,000, value $2,000.

FINANCIAL REPORT.

Receipts—For all purposes—Cash on hand, per last report $378.61; pledges and subscriptions $652.78; collections in church $764.27; Sunday School $203.72; Woman's Auxiliary money $49.50; Woman's Auxiliary, boxes, value $20.00; Guilds, or other Societies $134.97; income from other sources $145.22; total receipts for all purposes $2,409.07.

Disbursements (1) *For current expenses*—Salary of rector $800.01; insurance $40.00; other current expenses $228.71; total for current expenses $1,068.72.

Disbursements—Contributions (1) *For objects in the Parish*—Communion Alms $10.43; building and extraordinary repairs and improvements $469.83; maintaining Sunday Schools $41.65; other objects $51.81; total contributions for objects in the Parish $573.72. *Contributions* (2) *For objects in the Diocese*—Salary of Bishops $80.00; Diocesan Missions $79.33; Widows and Orphans, Aged and Disabled Clergy Fund $18.12; Religious and Theological Education $9.34; Sheltering Arms Hospital $16.02; other objects $11.50; Box Sheltering Arms $20.00; Paint Creek Chapel $5.00; Gassaway $2.50; Chester $2.50; total contributions for objects in the Diocese $244.31. *Contributions* (3) *For objects without the Diocese*—General Missions $99.73; other objects $5.25; total contributions for objects without the Diocese $104.98.

Statement—Current expenses raised by congregation as above $1,068.72; for objects in the Parish $573.72; for objects in the Diocese $244.31; for objects without the Diocese $104.98; total contributions $923.01; all money raised by the congregation for current expenses and for contributions $1,991.73; cash on hand $417.34; total $2,409.07.

Remarks—I conduct services at Brownsville, 3 miles south of Weston, the afternoon of the 3rd Sundays.

PAROCHIAL REPORT.

Rev. ANDREW G. GRINNAN, address Weston. St. Paul's Chapel, St. Paul's Parish, near Weston, Lewis county; date of organization 1903; present minister took charge 1900.

Church Officers—Treasurer, J. White Peterson, address Weston, W. Va.; Supt. of Sun. Schools J. W. Peterson.

Official Acts—Public services, Sundays 20; other days 12, total 32; Holy Communion, public 6; private none, total 6.

Communicants—Number last reported 13; present number total 13.

Congregation—Baptized persons connected with Parish, this includes all communicants and confirmed persons, 22; confirmed persons connected with Parish 13; families 8; number free sittings 120.

Rector's Salary—From Diocesan Missions $50.00.

Organizations—Sunday School, officers and teachers, female 3, total 3; pupils, male 10, female 14, total 24; Lenten offering $6.74; other offerings $2.41; total Sunday School offerings $9.15.

Property—Church, wood, insurance $750, value $1,000; other property, one-half acre of ground.

FINANCIAL REPORT.

Receipts—For all purposes—Cash on hand, per last report $17.04; pledges and subscriptions $34.00; collections in church $20.11; Sunday School $9.15; income from other sources $12.01; total receipts for all purposes $92.36.

Disbursements (1) *For current expenses*—Salary of rector $44.00; insurance $15.00; other current expenses $3.05; total for current expenses $62.05.

Disbursements—Contributions (1) *For objects in the Parish*—Maintaining Sunday Schools $500, total contributions for objects in the Parish $5.00. *Contributions* (2) *For objects in the Diocese*—Widows and Orphans, Aged and Disabled Clergy Fund $1.93; Religious and Theological Education $2.50; Bishop's Special Fund $2.50; total contributions for objects in the Diocese $6.93. *Contributions* (3) *For objects without the Diocese*—General Missions $6.74; American Church Building Fund $3.00; total contributions for objects without the Diocese $9.74.

Statement—Current expenses raised by congregation as above $62.05; for objects in the Parish $5.00; for objects in the Diocese $6.93; for objects without the Diocese $9.74; total of contributions $21.67; all money raised by the congregation for current expenses and for contributions $83.72; cash on hand $8.64, total $92.36.

PAROCHIAL REPORT.

Rev. DAVID W. HOWARD, address Wheeling. Saint Matthew's church, Wheeling, Ohio county; date of organization May 11th, 1819; present minister took charge Jan. 1, 1900.

Church Officers—Church Wardens, Joseph D. DuBois, Dr. G. A. Aschman; other vestrymen, Hullihen Quarrier, Joseph C. Brady, W. S. Brady,

James J. Holloway, Julian G. Hearne, B. Walker Peterson, Robert M. Browne, Cyrus P. Flick, Allan Brock, Peebles Tatum; registrar, Allan Brock, address 1413 Main St.; treasurer, Cyrus P. Flick, address 1425 Chapline St.; Supt. of Sun. Schools, the Rector; S. S. Sec. & Treas., Wm. Schwarzfeger; Lay Readers, Dr. G. A. Aschman, John Conrad Bremer.

Official Acts—Baptisms, infants 16, adults 10, total 26; presented for confirmation since last report 28; marriages 38; burials 14; public services, Sundays 136; other days 67, total 203; Holy Communion, public 75; private 7, total 82.

Communicants—Number last reported 550; received by letter 8; admitted by confirmation 28; added otherwise 13, total gain 49; died 10; transferred 24; total loss 34; net gain 15; present number total 565.

Congregation—Baptized persons connected with Parish, this includes all communicants and confirmed persons 851; confirmed persons connected with Parish 580; families 180; individuals not thus included 112; whole number of individuals 851; number sittings in church 600; number free sittings 150; number sittings in Sunday School Room 300.

Rector's Salary—As pledged from this congregation $2,400.

Organizations—Sunday School, officers and teachers, male 4, female 9, total 13; pupils, male 45, female 70, total 115; Advent offering $35.00; Lenten offering $1.50; other offerings $33.50; total Sunday School offerings $218.50; Woman's Auxiliary, members 60. *Other Organizations*—Junior Auxiliary 25; St. Mary's Auxiliary 10; Swope Guild 25; N. S. Thomas 12; Chancel Chapter 20; King's Daughters 25; Seabury Club 50; Choir Association 50.

Property—Church, stone, insurance $50,000; value $65,000; rectory, stone and brick, insurance $6,000, value $12,000.

FINANCIAL REPORT.

Receipts—For all purposes—Cash on hand, per last report $503.96; pledges and subscriptions $1,688.69; Pew rent $5,682.74; collections in church $2,084.00; Communion Alms $187.89; Steenrod Bequest $500.00; special offerings $862.51; Sunday School $217.42; Woman's Auxiliary, money $128.00; Guilds, or other Societies $388.99; Bishop's Special Fund $200.00; total receipts for all purposes $12,444:20.

Disbursements (1) *For current expenses*—Salary of rector $2400.00; other salaries $2,330.15; insurance $599.00; ordinary repairs $685.65; interest on debt $101.57; payment on debts contracted for current expenses $1,292.93; other current expenses $1,082.73; balance $1.43; total for current expenses $8,493.46.

Disbursements—Contributions (1) *For objects in the Parish*—Communion Alms $187.89; Parish Missions $183.50; maintaining Sunday Schools $32.42; Library Sunday Schools $87.25; Steenrod bequest for endowment $500; Charity $233.58; total contributions for objects in the Parish $1,224.-

64. *Contributions* (2) *For objects in the Diocese*—Salary of Bishops $650; permanent fund $10; Diocesan Missions $460; Convocation Missions $40; Widows and Orphans, Aged and Disabled Clergy Fund $221.19; Religious and Theological Education $15.00; Sheltering Arms Hospital $229.10; Bishop's Special Fund $200.00; Deaf Mute Mission $50.00; Diocesan Missions Special $103.60; total contributions for objects in the Diocese $1,978.89. *Contributions* (3) *For objects without the Diocese*—Domestic Missions General $670.90; Indians $19.31; total Domestic Missions $690.21; for China $50.00; for Japan $2.00; Porto Rico $5.00; total Foreign Missions $57.00; total contributions for objects wihout the Diocese $747.21.

Statement—Current expenses raised by congregation as above $8,493.46; for objects in the Parish $1,224.64; for objects in the Diocese $1,978.89; for objects without the Diocese $747.21; total of contributions $3,950.74; all money raised by the congregation for current expenses and for contributions $12,444.20.

Remarks—There is in the hands of the trustees of Saint Matthew's Parish an endowment fund of $2,294.50; Parish House Fund of $54.12, total $3,348.62.

PAROCHIAL REPORT.

Rev. EDWARD D. IRVINE, address Wellsburg. Christ Church, Wellsburg, Brooke county; date of organization 1793; present minister took charge June 18, 1903.

Church Officers—Church Wardens, Geo. A. Baxter, Jos. Faust; other vestrymen, T. N. Buchanan, F. L. Hall, Ephraim Barnes; registrar, Geo. A. Baxter, address Wellsburg; treasurer, T. N. Buchanan, address Wellsburg; Supt. of Sun. Schools, F. L. Hall; S. S. Sec.-Treas., Bede Wheeler.

Official Acts—Baptisms, infants 2, adults 1, total 3; presented for confirmation since last report 10; marriages 4; burials 3; catechisings 15; public services, Sundays 91; other days 60; total 151; Holy Communion, public 26, private 1, total 27.

Communicants—Number last reported 54; received by letter 3; admitted by confirmation 10; added otherwise 13, total gain 13; net gain 13; present number total 67.

Congregation—Baptized persons connected with Parish, this includes all communicants and confirmed persons 86; confirmed persons connected with Parish 71; families 23; individuals not thus included 10; whole number of individuals 125; number sittings in church 175.

Rector's Salary—As pledged from this congregation $450; from Diocesan Missions $264; as pledged from other congregations $48.00; total $762.00.

Organizations—Sunday School, officers and teachers, male 1, female 4, total 5; pupils, male 18, female 22, total 40; Advent offering $10.00; Len-

ten offering $15.50; Brazil $6.25; other offerings $38.07; total Sunday School offering $69.82; Woman's Auxiliary, members 10; other organizations 16.

Property—Church, wood, insurance $2,000, value $3,500; rectory, wood, insurance $1,000, value $1,500; money raised from outside sources $50.40; for what objects used, building fund.

FINANCIAL REPORT.

Receipts—For all purposes—Cash on hand, per last report $105.83; pledges and subscriptions $680.56; collections in church $196.20; Sunday School $84.18; Woman's Auxiliary, money $66.42; Woman's Auxiliary, boxes, value $25.00; Guilds, or other Societies $127.26; contributions from without $50.40; total receipts for all purposes $1,335.85.

Disbursements (1) *For current expenses*—Salary of rector $460.00; other salaries $46.05; insurance $12.00; ordinary repairs $18.75; other current expenses $35.07; total for current expenses $571.87.

Disbursements—Contributions (1) *For objects in the Parish*—Communion Alms $20.78; extraordinary repairs and improvements $155.30; maintaining Sunday Schools $38.07; organ $58.80; stalls and desk $43.50; Divers objects $24.42; total contributions for objects in the Parish $340.87. *Contributions* (2) *For objects in the Diocese*—Salary of Bishops $25.00; Diocesan Missions $85.00; Convocation dues $6.00; Widows and Orphans, Aged and Disabled Clergy Fund $5.00; Sheltering Arms Hospital $25.00; Mountain work $25.00; Woman's Auxiliary $19.50; Woman's Diocesan apportionment $5.00; total contributions for objects in the Diocese $195.50. *Contributions* (3) *For objects without the Diocese*—Domestic Missions General $22.75; total Domestic Missions $22.75; Foreign Missions General $22.75; for Japan $1.00; Porto Rico $2.50; Brazil $6.25; total Foreign Missions $32.50; special, boxes, &c., $3.00; United offering of Woman's Auxiliary $30.28; Babies' branch $4.11; total contributions for objects without the Diocese $92.64.

Statement—Current expenses raised by congregation as above $571.87; for objects in the Parish $340.87; for objects in the Diocese $195.50; for objects without the Diocese $92.64; total of contributions $629.01; all money raised by the congregation for current expenses and for contributions $1,200.88; cash on hand $134.95.

Remarks—We are much indebted to Arch deacon Spurr for a Mission that he held here in Lent, for the stimulus that gave to a project to build an addition to the rectory, and for a contribution of $50.40 to the building fund.

PAROCHIAL REPORT.

Rev. EDWARD D. IRVINE, address Wellsburg. St. John's Church;

Brooke county; date of organization 1793; present minister took charge March 29, 1903.

Church Officers—Church Wardens, Jos. Williamson; other vestrymen, Samuel Baxter; registrar, Samuel Baxter, address Route 3, Wellsburg; treasurer, Jos. Williamson, Route 3, Wellsburg.

Official Acts—Baptisms, infants 1; total 1; public services, Sundays, 27; total 27; Holy Communion, public 5; total 5.

Communicants—Number last reported 24; present number total 24.

Congregation—Baptized persons connected with Parish, this includes all communicants and confirmed persons, 35; confirmed persons connected with Parish 24; families 8; individuals not thus included 10; number sittings in church 200.

Rector's Salary—As pledged from this congregation $48.00; from Diocesan Missions $264.00; as pledged from other congregations $450.00; from Convocation Missions $94.00; total $762.00.

Property—Church, brick, value $2,500; total value $2,500.

FINANCIAL REPORT.

Receipts—For all purposes—Pledges and subscriptions $48.50; collections in church $26.92; total receipts for all purposes $75.42.

Disbursements (1) *For current expenses*—Salary of rector $48.50; other current expenses $21.42; total for current expenses $69.92.

Disbursements—Contributions (2) *For objects in the Diocese*—Diocesan Missions $5.00, total contributions for objects in the Diocese $5.00. *Contributions* (3) *For objects without the Diocese*—Domestic Missions General 25 cents; Foreign Missions General 25 cents; total contributions for objects without the Diocese 50 cents.

Statement—Current expenses raised by congregation as above $69.92; for objects in the Diocese $5.00; for objects without the Diocese 50 cents, total of contributions $5.50; all money raised by the congregation for current expenses and for contributions $75.42.

PAROCHIAL REPORT.

Rev. PACA KENNEDY, address Ravenswood. Grace Church, St. Marys Mission, St. Marys, Pleasant county; date of organization 1899; present minister took charge Sept., 1904.

Church Officers—Church Warden, Robt. T. Pemberton; other vestrymen, E. A. Sayre, R. T. Browne; treasurer, E. A. Sayre, address St. Marys; Supt. of Sun. Schools Robt. Pemberton; S. S. Sec. & Treas., Rolla Williams.

Official Acts—Marriages 1; burials 2; public services, Sundays 29, total 33; Holy Communion, public 6, total 6.

Communicants—Number last reported 28; removed without letter 6, total loss 6; net loss 6; present number total 22.

Congregation—Baptized persons connected with Parish, this includes all communicants and confirmed persons, 30; confirmed persons connected with Parish 22; families 10; number of scattered communicants in your section not connected with any Parish 2; number sittings in church 200; number free sittings 200.

Rector's Salary—As pledged from this congregation $325.00; as pledged from other congregations $490.00, total $815.00.

Organizations—Sunday School, officers and teachers, male 3, female 1, total 4; pupils, male 9, female 20, total 29; Advent offering 90 cents; Lenten offering $2.20; other offerings $43.92, total Sunday School offering $47.02.

Property—Church, brick, insurance $1,500, value $4,000; rectory, sold; total value $4,000; due the minister $50.00.

FINANCIAL REPORT.

Receipts—For all purposes—Pledges and subscriptions $275.00; collections in church $110.31; money borrowed $1.72; Sunday School $47.02; Guilds, or other Societies $87.17, total receipts for all purposes $421.22.

Disbursements (1) *For current expenses*—Salary of rector $303.00; ordinary repairs $2.00, total for current expenses $305.00.

Disbursements—Contributions (1) *For objects in the Parish*—Building and extraordinary repairs and improvements $78.50; maintaining Sunday Schools $33.40, total contributions for objects in the Parish $111.90. *Contributions* (2) *For objects in the Diocese*—Salary of Bishops $30.000; Diocesan Missions $15.00; Convocation Missions $5.50; S. S. Advent offering 90 cents, total contributions for objects in the Diocese $51.40. *Contributions* (3) *For objects without the Diocese*—Foreign Missions General $30.00, total Foreign Missions $30.00; S. S. Lenten offering $2.20, total contributions for objects without the Diocese $32.20.

Statement—Current expenses raised by congregation as above $305.00; for objects in the Parish $111.90; for objects in the Diocese $51.40; for objects without the Diocese $32.20; total of contributions $195.50; all money raised by the congregation for current expenses and for contributions $500.50; cash on hand none; Sunday School has balance of $10.52; Guild has balance of $3.82.

Remarks—I am unable to balance this report. It shows a larger payment to General Missions and Bishop's Fund than usual. This is because we failed to pay those assessments last year.

PAROCHIAL REPORT.

Rev. PACA KENNEDY, address Ravenswood. Grace Church, Ravenswood Parish or Mission, Ravenswood, Jackson county; date of organization 1855; present minister took charge Sept., 1904.

Church Officers—Church Warden, F. H. Green; other vestrymen, J. V. Armstrong; treasurer, F. H. Green, address Ravenswood; Supt. of Sunday Schools F. H. Green; S. S. Sec. & Treas., Mrs. F. H. Green.

Official Acts—Baptisms, adults 2, total 2; burials 1; catechisings 2; public services, Sundays 16, total 21; Holy Communion, public 3, total 3.

Communicants—Number last reported 20; admitted by confirmation 2; total gain 2; died 1; removed without letter 5; total loss 6; net loss 4; present number total 16.

Congregation—Baptized persons connected with Parish, this includes all communicants and confirmed persons 30; confirmed persons connected with Parish 16; families 9; number sittings in church 200; number free sittings 200.

Rector's Salary—As pledged from this congregation $220.00; as pledged from other congregations $595.00, total $815.00.

Organizations—Sunday School, officers and teachers, male 2, female 3, total 5; pupils, male 8, female 18, total 26; Advent offering $5.00; Lenten offering $8.26; other offerings $16.70; Children's Home $2.00, total Sunday School offering $31.96; Children's Aid.

Property—Church, frame, insurance $2,200, value $3,200; rectory, frame, insurance $1,000, value $2,000, total value insurance $3,200; value $5,200. *Indebtedness*—On church $425.00.

FINANCIAL REPORT.

Receipts—For all purposes—Cash on hand, per last report $17.85; pledges and subscriptions $96.35; collections in church $17.69; interest from investments $59.51; Sunday School $31.96; rent of rectory $87.33, total receipts for all purposes $310.69.

Disbursements (1) *For current expenses*—Salary of rector $152.67; insurance $37.40; Janitor, lights, repairs and railroad fare for minister $60.13; total for current expenses $250.20.

Disbursements—Contributions (1) *For objects in the Parish*—Maintaining Sunday Schools $16.70; payment on debts for building, &c., $50.00; total contributions for objects in the Parish $66.70. *Contributions* (2) *For objects in the Diocese*—Salary of Bishops $10.00; Diocesan Missions $12.51; Convocation Missions $2.00, total contributions for objects in the Diocese $24.51. *Contributions* (3) *For objects without the Diocese*—Total Foreign Missions $10.00; total contributions for objects without the Diocese $10.00.

Statement—Current expenses raised by congregation as above $103.36; for objects in the Parish $16.70; for objects in the Diocese $24.51; for objects without the Diocese $10.00; total of contributions $51.21; all money raised by the congregation for current expenses and for contributions $154.57; cash on hand, none.

PAROCHIAL REPORT.

Rev. PACA KENNEDY, address Ravenswood. St. John's Church, Ravenswood Parish or Mission, Ripley, Jackson county; date of organization 1851; present minister took charge Sept., 1904.

Church Officers—Church Warden, W. T. Greer; other vestrymen, Geo. B. Crow, Dan. P. Crow, W. W. Armstrong, Dr. Petty, C. W. Starcher, Sam. C. Starcher; treasurer, Miss Anna Greer, address Ripley; Supt. of Sun. Schools, W. T. Greer; S. S. Sec. & Treas., Harry Armstrong.

Official Acts—Baptisms, infants 1, total 1; public services, Sundays 16, total 17; Holy Communion, public 3, total 3.

Communicants—Number last reported 34; present number total 34.

Congregation—Baptized persons connected with Parish, this includes all communicants and confirmed persons, 50; confirmed persons connected with Parish 34; families 15; number sittings in church 200; number free sittings 200.

Rector's Salary—As pledged from this congregation $170.00; as pledged from other congregations $645.00, total $815.00.

Organizations—Sunday School, officers and teachers, female 3, total 3; pupils, male 9, female 25, total 36. *Other Organizations*—St. John's Guild, 12 members.

Property—Church, frame, insurance $1,000, value $2,000.

FINANCIAL REPORT.

Receipts—For all purposes—Cash on hand, per last report $2.21: pledges and subscriptions $161.62; collections in church $32.33, total receipts for all purposes $196.16.

Disbursements (1) *For current expenses*—Salary of rector $117.50; ordinary repairs $4.00; other current expenses $4.82; train fare of minister $18.50; total for current expenses $144.82.

Disbursements—Contributions (2) *For objects in the Diocese*—Salary of Bishops $15.00; Diocesan Missions $15.00; Convocation Missions $2.00, total contributions for objects in the Diocese $32.00. *Contributions* (3) *For objects without the Diocese*—Total Foreign Missions $15.00; total contributions for objects without the Diocese $15.00.

Statement—Current expenses raised by congregation as above $144.82: for objects in the Diocese $32.00; for objects without the Diocese $15.00; total of contributions $47.00; all money raised by the congregation for current expenses and for contributions $196.16; cash on hand $4.34; Guild sent a box to Sheltering Arms.

Remarks—I have not gotten reports of treasurers of S. S. and Guild, but am afraid to keep report any longer.

PAROCHIAL REPORT.

Rev. PACA KENNEDY, address Ravenswood. St. John's Church, St.

John's Parish, Willow Island, Pleasant county; date of organization 1853; present minister took charge Sept., 1904.

Church Officers—Church Wardens, F. M. Triplett, John W. Norris; other vestrymen, J. H. Ralston; registrar, J. W. Norris; treasurer, J. W. Norris, address Willow Island; no Sunday School.

Official Acts—Public services, Sundays 8, total 8.

Communicants—Number last reported 13; present number total 13.

Congregation—Baptized persons connected with Parish, this includes all communicants and confirmed persons, 18; confirmed persons connected with Parish 13; families 8; number sittings in church 150; number free sittings 150.

Rector's Salary—As pledged from this congregation $50.00; as pledged from other congregations $765.00, total $815.00.

Property—Church, frame, value $500.00.

FINANCIAL REPORT.

Receipts—For all purposes—Pledges and subscriptions $54.00; collections in church $13.33; money borrowed $6.67, total receipts for all purposes $74.00.

Disbursements (1) *For current expenses*—Salary of Rector $56.00.

Disbursements—Contributions (2) *For objects in the Diocese*—Salary of Bishops $5.00; Diocesan Missions $5.00; Convocation Missions $3.00, total contributions for objects in the Diocese $13.00. *Contributions* (3) *For objects without the Diocese*—Total Foreign Missions $5.00.

Statement—Current expenses raised by congregation as above $56.00; for objects in the Diocese $13.00; for objects without the Diocese $5.00, total of contributions $18.00; all money raised by the congregation for current expenses and for contributions $74.00.

Remarks—I advanced the $6.67 to make up our assessments and have been refunded. Special fund $20.00.

PAROCHIAL REPORT.

Rev. PACA KENNEDY, address Ravenswood. Messiah Church, Waverly, Wood county; present minister took charge Sept., 1904.

Church Officers—Treasurer, Mrs. Alice Corbitt; no Sunday School.

Official Acts—Baptisms, infants 2, total 2; public services, Sundays 15, total 17; Holy Communion, public 1, total 1.

Communicants—Number last reported 5; died 1; removed without letter 2, total loss 3; net loss 3; present number total 2.

Congregation—Baptized persons connected with Parish, this includes all communicants and confirmed persons, 4; confirmed persons connected

with Parish 2; families 2; number sittings in church 100; number free sittings 100.

Rector's Salary—As pledged from this congregation $50.00; as pledged from other congregations $765.00, total $815.00. This includes railroad expenses and hack hire.

Property—Church, wood, insurance $800.00, value $1,300. *Indebtedness*—On church $125.00; due on Diocesan assessment for Missions $7.21; due on Diocesan assessment for Bishop's Fund $7.00; other debts, General Missions $7.00, total indebtedness $146.21; money raised from outside sources $45.00; for what objects used, applied on indebtedness of church.

FINANCIAL REPORT.

Receipts—For all purposes—Pledges and subscriptions $86.96; collections in church $17.50; contributions from without $45.00; total receipts for all purposes $149.19.

Disbursements (1) *For current expenses*—Salary of rector $60.64; interest on debt $9.76; other current expenses $1.00, total for current expenses $71.40.

Disbursements—Contributions (1) *For objects in the Parish*—Building and extraordinary repairs and improvements $19.00; payment on debts for building, &c., $50.00, total contributions for objects in the Parish $69.00. *Contributions* (2) *For objects in the Diocese*—Salary of Bishops $3.00; Diocesan Missions $2.79, total contributions for objects in the Diocese $5.79. *Contributions* (3) *For objects without the Diocese*—Domestic Missions General $3.00, total contributions for objects without the Diocese $3.00.

Statement—Current epenses raised by congregation as above $71.40; for objects in the Parish $19.00; for objects in the Diocese $5.79; for objects without the Diocese $3.00, total of contributions $27.79; all money raised by the congregation for current expenses and for contributions $99.19.

PAROCHIAL REPORT.

Rev. PACA. KENNEDY, address Ravenswood. Whittle Chapel, Ravenswood Parish, Liverpool, Jackson county; present minister took charge Sept., 1904.

Church Officers—Church Warden, Irwin McPherson; other vestrymen, John Hartley; no Sunday School.

Official Acts—Baptisms, infants 1, adults 1, total 2; burials 1, public services, Sundays, none; other days 29, total 32.

Communicants—Present number total 8.

Congregation—Baptized persons connected with Parish, this includes all communicants and confirmed persons 15; confirmed persons connected with Parish 8; families 6; number sittings in church 150; number free sittings 150.

Property—Church, wood, value $600.00; total value $600.00.

FINANCIAL REPORT.

Receipts—For all purposes—Collections in church $5.10; total receipts for all purposes $5.10.

Disbursements—Contributions (2) *For objects in the Diocese*—Diocesan Missions 71 cents. *Contributions* (3) *For objects without the Diocese*—Foreign Missions General $4.39, total Foreign Missions $4.39, total contributions for objects without the Diocese $4.39.

Statement—For objects in the Diocese 71 cents; for objects without the Diocese $4.39; total of contributions $5.10; all money raised by the congregation for current expenses and for contributions $5.10.

Remarks—I preach at Liverpool and two school houses in its vicinity. Also preach at school house at Willow Grove. Have good congregations.

PAROCHIAL REPORT.

Rev. ARTHUR M. LEWIS, address Powellton, W. Va. Redeemer church, Ansted, Fayette county; date of organization 1879; present minister took charge Sept. 1, 1901.

Church Officers—Church Warden ,Wm. N. Page; other vestrymen, R. C. Taylor, J. C. R. Taylor, J. R. Brasheons, Patrick Moran, W. H. Evans; registrar, J. C. R. Taylor, address Ansted, W. Va.; treasurer, W. H. Evans, address Ansted, W. Va.; Supt. of Sun. Schools, Raleigh C. Taylor; S. S. Sec. & Treas., J. C. R. Taylor.

Official Acts—Baptisms, infants 3, total 3; marriages 2; burials 4; catechisings 20; public services, Sundays 27; other days 24, total 51; Holy Communion, public 6, total 6.

Communicants—Number last reported 38; received by letter 2; total gain 2; transferred 1; lapsed 6; total loss 7; net loss 5; present number total 33.

Congregation—Baptized persons connected with Parish, this includes all communicants and confirmed persons 75; confirmed persons connected with Parish 33; families 15; number sittings in church 200; number free sittings 200; number sittings in Sunday School Room 50.

Rector's Salary—As pledged from this congregation $200.00; as pledged from other congregations $862.00, total $1,062.00.

Organizations—Sunday School, officers and teachers, male 2, female 4,

total 6; pupils, male 25, female 35, total 60; Advent offering $9.70; Lenten offering $16.57; other offerings $53.18, total Sunday School offerings $89.45; Parish Schools, officers and teachers 2, scholars 50, total 52; Ladies' Aid Society 8; Rector's Guild 5.

Property—Church, value $3,000; Parish House, value $5,000; total value $8,000; money raised from outside sources $1,110.28; for what objects used, maintaining Parish School.

FINANCIAL REPORT.

Receipts—For all purposes—Cash on hand, per last report $88.39; pledges and subscriptions $182.50; rent, Parish building $65.00; collections in church $173.51; Rev. B. M. Spurr $613.48; Parish School tuition $150.25; thank offerings $85.00; Sunday School $79.45; Woman's Auxiliary, money $57.42; contingent fund $17.00; Guilds $12.84; contributions from without $108.16; income from other sources $36.50, total receipts for all purposes $1,669.50.

Disbursements (1) *For current expenses*—Salary of Rector $220.00; other salaries, Janitor, $12.10; payment on debts contracted for current expenses $89.96; other current expenses $4.50, total for current expenses $326.56.

Disbursements—Contributions (1) *For objects in the Parish*—Building and extraordinary repairs and improvements $110.58; Parish School $691.53; maintaining Sunday Schools $45.58; Piano $250.00; Billiard table $125.00, total contributions for objects in the Parish $1,222.69. *Contributions* (2) *For objects in the Diocese*—Salary of Bishops $20.00; permanent fund $1.40; Diocesan Missions $1,657; Convocation Missions $2.00; Widows and Orphans, Aged and Disabled Clergy Fund $5.50; Religious and Theological Education $2.50; Sheltering Arms Hospital $2.60, total contributions for objects in the Diocese $50.57. *Contributions* (3) *For objects without the Diocese*—Domestic Missions General $36.07, total Foreign Missions $36.07; General Clergy Relief Fund $3.10, total contributions for objects without the Diocese $39.17.

Statement—Current expenses raised by congregation as above $326.56; for objects in the Parish $45.58; for objects in the Diocese $50.57; for objects without the Diocese $39.17, total of contributions $135.32; all money raised by the congregation for current expenses and for contributions $559.22; cash on hand $30.51.

PAROCHIAL REPORT.

The Rev. ARTHUR M. LEWIS, address Powellton, W. Va. St. David's Mission, Powellton, Fayette county; date of organization Dec. 5th, 1886; present minister took charge Sept. 1st, 1901.

Church Officers—Church Wardens, D. Swan, J. D. McCreary; other vestrymen, D. T. Evans, J. I. Absalom, D. A. W. DeBell; registrar, J. I. Absalom, Powellton, W. Va.; treasurer, D. Swain, Powellton, W. Va.; Supt. of Sun. Schools, D. Swain, Powellton, W. Va.; S. S. Sec. & Treas., J. I. Absalom.

Official Acts—Marriages 2; burials 3; catechisings 20; public services, Sundays 42; other days 7, total 49; Holy Communion, public 5, total 5.

Communicants—Number last reported 41; transferred 15; present number total 26.

Congregation—Baptized persons connected with Parish, this includes all communicants and confirmed persons, 46; confirmed persons connected with Parish 26; families 14; individuals not thus included 1; number sittings in church 110; number free sittings 110.

Rector's Salary—As pledged from this congregation $402.00; as pledged from other congregations $660.00, total $1,062.00.

Organizations—Sunday School, officers and teachers, male 3, female 4, total 7; pupils, male 26, female 37, total 63; Advent offering $7.41; Lenten offering $3.83; other offerings $24.84; subscription $5.00, total Sunday School offering $41.08; Rector's Guild.

Property—Chancel furniture, &c., $328.00; rectory furniture, &c. $148.15; total value $476.15.

FINANCIAL REPORT.

Receipts—For all purposes—Cash on hand, per last report $101.82; pledges and subscriptions $385.40; collections in church $57.11; Sunday School $41.08; Guilds, or other Societies $31.36, total receipts for all purposes $616.77.

Disbursements (1) *For current expenses*—Salary of Rector $402.00; other current expenses $76.48, total for current expenses $478.48.

Disbursements—Contributions (1) *For objects in the Parish*—Communion Alms $1.70; building and extraordinary repairs and improvements $4.50; maintaining Sunday Schools $29.84, total contributions for objects in the Parish $36.04. *Contributions* (2) *For objects in the Diocese*—Salary of Bishops $22.00; permanent fund $3.03; Diocesan Missions $8.42; Convocation Missions $4.50; Widows and Orphans, Aged and Disabled Clergy Fund $3.05; Religious and Theological Education $1.53; Sheltering Arms Hospital $3.15, total contributions for objects in the Diocese $45.68. *Contributions* (3) *For objects without the Diocese*—Domestic Missions General $7.26; total Domestic Missions $7.26; Foreign Missions General $7.26, total Foreign Missions $7.26; General Clergy Relief Fund $1.67, total contributions for objects without the Diocese $16.19.

Statement—Current expenses raised by congregation as above $478.48; for objects in the Parish $36.04; for objects in the Diocese $45.68; for objects without the Diocese $16.19, total of contributions $97.91; all money

raised by the congregation for current expenses and for contributions $576.39; cash on hand $40.38; $616.77.

PAROCHIAL REPORT.

Rev. A. M. LEWIS, address Powellton, W. Va. Calvary Parish or Mission, Montgomery, Fayette county; date of organization 1878; present minister took Charge Sept. 1, 1900.

Church Officers—Church Warden, W. N. Klase; other vestrymen, N. R. Coles, James C. Jenkins, Herbert Smith, Wm. K. Bridges, O. J. Henderson, L. E. Rupert; registrar, Wm. K. Bridges, address Smithers; treasurer, N. R. Coles, address Montgomery; Supt. of Sun. Schools, R. R. Wood, Montgomery; S. S. Sec. & Treas., Miss Ora Smith.

Official Acts—Baptisms, infants 3, total 3; presented for confirmation since last report 1; marriages 1; catechisings 4; public services, Sundays 29; other days 2, total 31; Holy Communion, public 4, total 4.

Communicants—Number last reported 24; received by letter 10; admitted by confirmation 1; added otherwise 2, total gain 13; transferred 7, total loss 7; net gain 6; present number total 30.

Congregation—Baptized persons connected with Parish, this includes all communicants and confirmed persons 71; confirmed persons connected with Parish 30; families 16; individuals not thus included 4; number sittings in church 200; number free sittings 200.

Rector's Salary—As pledged from this congregation $200.00; as pledged from other congregations $862.00, total $1,062.00.

Organizations—Sunday School, officers and teachers, male 2, female 3, total 5; pupils, male 19, female 26, total 45; Advent offering $5.00; Lenten offering $6.80; other offerings $26.04, total Sunday School offerings $37.84; Ladies' Aid 14 cents.

Property—Church, frame, insurance $1,000, value $1,500; rectory, frame, insurance $2,500, value $3,600; other property, furniture, insurance $200, value $300; total value $5,400. *Indebtedness*—On rectory $2,075; due the minister $110; insurance $125, total indebtedness $2,310.

FINANCIAL REPORT.

Receipts—For all purposes—Cash on hand, per last report $253.72; pledges and subscriptions $255.16; collections in church $119.83; Sunday School $37.84; contributions from without $88.50; income from other sources $325.00, total receipts for all purposes $1,192.05.

Disbursements (1) *For current expenses*—Salary of rector $240.00; insurance $60.00; ordinary repairs $24.60; interest on debt $125.89; other current expenses $51.70; other objects, total $502.19; total for current expenses $502.00.

Disbursements—Contributions (1) *For objects in the Parish*—Building

and extraordinary repairs and improvements $114.28; maintaining Sunday Schools $26.04; payment on debts for building, &c., $425.00, total contributions for objects in the Parish $565.32. *Contributions* (2) *For objects in the Diocese*—Salary of Bishops $15.00; Diocesan Missions $15.00; Convocation Missions $2.00; Widows and Orphans, Aged and Disabled Clergy Fund $5.00; total $37.00. *Contributions* (3) *For objects without the Diocese*—Domestic Missions General $15.00, total Domestic Missions $15.00; Foreign Missions General $6.80, total Foreign Missions $6.80; General Clergy Relief Fund $4.55, total contributions for objects without the Diocese $26.35.

Statement—Current expenses raised by congregation as above $462.19; for objects in the Parish $140.32; for objects in the Diocese $370.00; for objects without the Diocese $26.35, total of contributions $203.67; all money raised by the congregation for current expenses and for contributions $665.86; cash on hand $61.19.

Remarks—Special Fund $100.00.

PAROCHIAL REPORT.

Rev. ARTHUR M. LEWIS, address Powellton, W. Va. Emmanuel church, Mt. Carbon, Fayette County; date of organization none; present minister took charge Sept. 1, 1901.

Official Acts—Public services, Sundays 6, other days 18, total 24; Holy Communion, public 1, total 1.

Communicants—Number last reported 7; added otherwise 4, total gain 4; transferred 3, total loss 3; net gain 1; present number total 8.

Congregation—Baptized persons connected with Parish, this includes all communicants and confirmed persons, 18; confirmed persons connected with Parish 18; families 4; individuals not thus included 1.

Rector's Salary—As pledged from this congregation $40.00; as pledged from other congregations $1,022.00; total $1,062.00.

FINANCIAL REPORT.

Receipts—For all purposes—Pledges and subscriptions $35.00; collections in church $21.10; Contingent fund $5.00, total receipts for all purposes $61.10.

Disbursements (1) *For current expenses*—Salary of Rector $47.10, total for current expenses $47.10.

Disbursements—Contributions (2) *For objects in the Diocese*—Salary of Bishops $5.00; Diocesan Missions $5.00, total contributions for objects in the Diocese $10.00. *Contributions* (3) *For objects without the Diocese*—Domestic Missions General $3.00, total Missions $3.00.

Statement—Current expenses raised by congregation as above $48.10; for objects in the Diocese $10.00; for objects without the Diocese $3.00, total of contributions $13.00; all money raised by the congregation for current expenses and for contributions $61.10.

PAROCHIAL REPORT.

Rev. ARTHUR M. LEWIS, Powellton, W. Va. St. Titus Church, Nuttallburg, Fayette county; date of organization, none; present minister took charge Sept. 1, 1901.

Official Acts—Baptisms, infants 4, total 4; public services, Sundays, none; other days 11, total 11.

Communicants—Number last reported 12; removed without letter 5, net loss 5; present number total 7.

Congregation—Baptized persons connected with Parish, this includes all communicants and confirmed persons, 12; confirmed persons connected with Parish 7; families 4.

Rector's Salary—As pledged from this congregation $60.00; from Convocation Missions $1,020.00, total $1,062.00.

FINANCIAL REPORT.

Receipts—For all purposes—Pledges and subscriptions $55.00; Contingent Fund $5.00, total receipts for all purposes $60.00.

Disbursements (1) *For current expenses*—Salary of Rector $50.00, total for current expenses $50.00.

Disbursements—Contributions (2) *For objects in the Diocese*—Salary of Bishops $5.00; Diocesan Missions $5.00.

Statement—Current expenses raised by congregation as above $50.00; for objects in the Diocese $10.00, total of contributions $10.00; all money raised by the congregation for current expenses and for contributions $60.00.

Remarks—Special Fund $2.00.

PAROCHIAL REPORT.

Rev. ARTHUR M. LEWIS, address Powellton, W. Va. St. Marys church, Ferris, Fayette county; date of organization none; present minister took charge Jan. 21, 1903.

Official Acts—Public services, Sundays 2, other days 11, total 13.

Communicants—Number last reported 4; added otherwise 1, total gain 1;

removed without letter 2, total loss 2; net loss 1; present number total 3.

Congregation—Baptized persons connected with Parish, this includes all communicants and confirmed persons, 6; confirmed persons connected with Parish 3.

Rector's Salary—As pledged from this congregation $60.00; as pledged from other congregations $1,002.00, total $1,062.00.

FINANCIAL REPORT.

Receipts—For all purposes—Pledges and subscriptions $45.00; collections in church $12.40, total receipts for all purposes $57.40.

Disbursements (1) *For current expenses*—Salary of Rector $47.40; total for current expenses $47.40.

Disbursements—Contributions (2) *For objects in the Diocese*—Salary of Bishops $3.00; Diocesan Missions $5.00; Religious and Theological Education $2.00; total contributions for objects in the Diocese $5.00.

Statement—Current expenses raised by congregation as above $47.40; for objects in the Diocese $10.00, total of contributions $10.00; all money raised by the congregation for current expenses and for contributions $57.40.

PAROCHIAL REPORT.

Rev. ARTHUR M. LEWIS, address Powellton, W. Va. St. James' church, Fayetteville, Fayette county; date of organization, none; present minister took Charge April 8, 1906.

Official Acts—Public services, Sundays 1, other days 1, total 2.

Communicants—Added otherwise 6, net gain 6; present number total 6.

Congregation—Baptized persons connected with Parish, this includes all communicants and confirmed persons 8; families 2; individuals not thus included 5.

Rector's Salary—As pledged from this congregation $100.00; as pledged from other congregations $962.00, total $1,062.00.

FINANCIAL REPORT.

Receipts—For all purposes—Collections in church $11.05, total receipts for all purposes $11.05.

Disbursements (1) *For current expenses*—Salary of Rector $4.25; total for current expenses $4.25.

Disbursements (2) *For objects in the Diocese*—Sheltering Arms Hospital $6.80, total contributions for objects in the Diocese $6.80.

Statement—Current expenses raised by congregation as above $4.25;

for objects in the Diocese $6.80, total of contributions $6.80; all money raised by the congregation for current expenses and for contributions $11.05.

PAROCHIAL REPORT.

Rev. ARTHUR M. LEWIS, address Powellton, W. Va. St. Paul's church, Page, Fayette county; date of organization, none; present minister took charge Aug. 22, 1904.

Official Acts—Public services, Sundays none; other days 5, total 5.

Communicants—Number last reported 6; added otherwise 2, total gain 2; removed without letter 3, total loss 3; net loss 1; present number total 5.

Congregation—Baptized persons connected with Parish, this includes all communicants and confirmed persons, 11; confirmed persons connected with Parish 5; families 5.

Rector's Salary—As pledged from other congregations $1,062.00, total $1,062.00.

FINANCIAL REPORT.

Receipts—For all purposes—Collections in church $12.75, total receipts for all purposes $12.75.

Disbursements (1) *For current expenses*—Salary of Rector $7.00; total for current expenses $7.00.

Disbursements—Contributions (2) *For objects in the Diocese*—Diocesan Missions $5.75, total contributions for objects in the Diocese $5.75.

Statement—Current expenses raised by congregation as above $7.00; for objects in the Diocese $5.75, total of contributions $5.75; all money raised by the congregation for current expenses and for contributions $12.75.

PAROCHIAL REPORT.

Rev. ARTHUR M. LEWIS, address Powellton, W. Va. Wyndal Mission, Wyndal, Fayette county; date of organization, none; present minister took charge Aug. 23, 1904.

Official Acts—Public services, Sundays none; other days 1, total 1.

Communicants—Number last reported 2; present number total 2.

Congregation—Baptized persons connected with Parish, this includes all communicants and confirmed persons, 8; families 1.

Rector's Salary—As pledged from other congregations $1,062.00, total $1,062.00.

FINANCIAL REPORT.

Receipts—For all purposes—Collections in church $2.60; total receipts for all purposes $2.60.

Disbursements—Contributions (2) *For objects in the Diocese*—Diocesan Missions $2.60.

Statement—For objects in the Diocese $2.60; total of contributions $2.60; all money raised by the congregation for current expenses and for contributions $2.60.

Remarks—I have held one (1) Sunday service in Malden, Kanawha county. We have two (2) communicants there.

PAROCHIAL REPORT.

Rev. JOS. W. LIVINGSTON, address Charles Town. Saint Philip's Church, Charles Town, Jefferson county; date of organization 1891; present minister took charge Oct. 15, 1905.

Church Officers—Treasurer, J. W. Talbert, address Charles Town; Supt. of Sun. Schools, B. C. Washington; Lay Reader, Philip Jackson.

Official Acts—Baptisms, infants 3, adults 1, total 4; presented for confirmation since last report 2; burials 1; catechisings 5; public services, Sundays 48; other days 24, total 72; Holy Communion, public 12, total 12.

Communicants—Number last reported 33; admitted by confirmation 2, total gain 2; died 1; removed without letter 7, total loss 7; present number total 25.

Congregation—Confirmed persons connected with Parish 25; families 12; individuals not thus included 75; whole number of individuals 100; number sittings in church 250; number free sittings 250.

Rector's Salary—As pledged from this congregation $50.00; from Diocesan Missions General $400.00, total $450.00.

Organizations—Sunday School, officers and teachers, male 2, female 3, total 5; pupils, male 20, female 20, total 40; Advent offering $10.00; Lenten offering $4.00, total Sunday School offerings $14.00; Parish Schools, officers and teachers 2; scholars 20, total 20. *Other Organizations*—Money received for Parish School, from Bishop Peterkin $15.00; from Rev. Alfriend per Zion church $11.00; Gibson Parish $5.00; fees of pupils for Zion Church $22.23, total $53.23.

Property—Church, frame, insurance $115.00, value $900.00; chapel, frame, value $525.00; total value $1,450; money raised from outside sources $31.00; for what objects used, Parish School; also one and one-half ton of coal from the Rev. Mr. Alfriend.

FINANCIAL REPORT.

Receipts—For all purposes—Cash on hand, per last report $6.00; pledges and subscriptions $50.00; collections in church $60.00; Sunday School

$10.00; income from other sources $400.00, total receipts for all purposes $526.00.

Disbursements (1) *For current expenses*—Salary of Rector $450.00; other salaries, sexton, $36.00; ordinary repairs $2.00; other current expenses $38.00, total for current expenses $526.00.

Disbursements—Contributions (1) *For objects in the Parish*—Parochial and Industrial Schools $52.23, total contributions for objects in the Parish $52.23. *Contributions* (2) *For objects in the Diocese*—Diocesan Missions $10.00; total contributions for objects in the Diocese $10.00.

Statement—For objects in the Parish $60.00; for objects in the Diocese $10.00, total of contributions $70.00.

PAROCHIAL REPORT.

Rev. JOS. W. LIVINGSTON, address Charles Town. Shepherdstown Parish or Mission, Shepherdstown, Jefferson county; date of organization March 1, 1906; present minister took charge March 1, 1906.

Official Acts—Presented for confirmation since last report 3; public services, Sundays 9, other days 1, total 10.

Congregation—Confirmed persons connected with Parish 7; families 3; individuals not thus included 2; number sittings in Hall 100; number free sittings 100.

FINANCIAL REPORT.

Receipts—For all purposes—Collections in church $20.00, total receipts for all purposes $20.00.

Disbursements (1) *For current expenses*—Other current expenses $20.00, total for current expenses $20.00.

Statement—Current expenses raised by congregation as above $20.00, total of contributions $20.00.

Remarks—Mission just started and doing well; prospects are bright for future.

PAROCHIAL REPORT.

Rev. JOHN TILTON MARLEY, address 247 Willey St. Trinity Church, Morgantown, Monongalia county; present minister took charge Nov. 1st, 1900.

Church Officers—Church Wardens, Capt. Wm. C. Marshall, Prof. S. B. Brown; other vestrymen, Col. J. C. Frazer, Geo. Rogers, Wm. White, Harry

Zeverly, L. P. Beall, Dr. R. H. Edmundson, Prof. Fredk. Truscott, Dr. St. Geo. T. Brooke; registrar, Mr. Harry Zeverly, address Morgantown; treasurer, Mr. Wm. White, address Morgantown; Supt. of Sun. Schools, Capt. W. C. Marshall; S. S. Sec. & Treas., Miss K. Fitch and Chas. Miller; Lay Reader. Prof. F. Truscott.

Official Acts—Baptisms, infants 11, total 11; presented for confirmation since last report 1; marriages 1; burials 1; public services, Sundays 52; other days 35, total 87; Holy Communion, public 12; private 1, total 13.

Communicants—Number last reported 86; admitted by confirmation 1; added otherwise 10, total gain 11; died 1; transferred 1; removed without letter 3; not otherwise accounted for 7, total loss 12; net loss 1; present number total 87.

Congregation—Baptized persons connected with Parish, this includes all communicants and confirmed persons, 112; confirmed persons connected with Parish 87; families 36; number of scattered communicants in your section not connected with any Parish 2; number sittings in church 225.

Rector's Salary—As pledged from this congregation $1,000; total $1,000.

Organizations—Sunday School, officers and teachers, male 1, female 5, total 6; pupils, male 21, female 23, total 44; Woman's Auxiliary, members 10; other organizations, Ladies' Guild 33.

Property—Church, wood, insurance $2,200, value $7,000; organ, insurance $1,200, value $2,000; Episcopal Hall, brick, insurance $9,000; value $18,000; total insurance $12,400; total value $27,000. *Indebtedness*—On Church $150; Episcopal Hall $8,500; other property $160, total indebtedness $8,810.

FINANCIAL REPORT.

Receipts—For all purposes—Cash on hand, per last report $1.34; pledges and subscriptions $1,030.49; collections in church $210.01; interest from investments $1,028.79; money borrowed $160.00; thank offerings $58.48; Sunday School $36.32; Woman's Auxiliary, money $30.90; Guilds, or other Societies $393.77; contributions from without $33.00, total receipts for all purposes $2,983.10.

Disbursements (1) *For current expenses*—Salary of Rector $749.96; Salary of assistant $375.34; other salaries $189.45; Insurance $104.00; ordinary repairs $44.50; interest on debt $410.50; other current expenses $96.66, total for current expenses $1,970.41.

Disbursements—Contributions (1) *For objects in the Parish*—Communion Alms $6.83; building and extraordinary repairs and improvements $159.77; Parish Missions $40.00; maintaining Sunday Schools $6.00; payment on debts for building, &c., $500.00; cleaning church $11.90; organ repairs $25.00; grading church lot $35.60; machine for Ladies' Guild $30.00, total contributions for objects in the Parish $815.10. *Contributions* (2) *For objects in the Diocese*—Salary of Bishops $50.00; Diocesan Missions

Domestic Missions $27.50; Foreign Missions General $27.50; total $60.00; Chapel at Sheltering Arms $5.00; Bishop's Special Fund $10.90, total contributions for objects in the Diocese $125.90. *Contributions* (3) *For objects without the Diocese*—Domestic Missions General $27.50; total contributions for objects without the Diocese $55.00.

Statement—Current expenses raised by congregation as above $1,970.41; for objects in the Parish $815.10; for objects in the Diocese $125.90; for objects without the Diocese $55.00, total of contributions $996.00; all money raised by this congregation for current expenses and for contributions $2,983.10; cash on hand $16.69.

Remarks—Special Fund $5.00.

PAROCHIAL REPORT.

Rev. C. E. A. Marshall, address Shepherdstown. Trinity Church, St. Andrews Parish, Shepherdstown, Jefferson county; date of organization about 1790; present minister took charge 1903.

Church Officers—Church Wardens, A. S. Dandridge, L. H. Moler; other vestrymen, J. S. Bragonier, Jno. O. Aglionby, Frank W. Muzzey, P. P. Marshall, Laurence R. Lee, Dr. D. W. Border, Dr. Jno. Myers, Dr. Ashton Moore; registrar, J. S. Bragonier, address Shepherdstown; treasurer, J. S. Bragonier; Supt. of Sun. Schools, A. S. Dandridge.

Official Acts—Baptisms, infants 5, adults 2, total 7; marriages 3; burials 6; catechisings 20; public services, Sundays 100; other days 60, total 160; Holy Communion, public 50, private 5, total 55.

Communicants—Number last reported 150; admitted by confirmation 6; added otherwise 1, total 7; died 2; removed without letter 8; lapsed 11; total loss 21; net loss 14; present number total 136.

Rector's Salary—As pledged from this congregation $600.00; from Diocesan Missions $100.00, total $700.00.

Organizations—Sunday School, officers and teachers, male 4, female 3, total 7; pupils, male 15, female 25, total 40; Advent offering $1.76; Lenten offering $7.80; other offerings $1.80, total Sunday School offerings $11.36.

Property—Church, stone, insurance $3,500, value $12,300; rectory, brick, insurance $3,500, value $6,000; Chapel Good Shepherd, Duffields, frame, insurance $1,000, value $1,500; total insurance $8,000; total value $19,800. *Indebtedness*—Due on Diocesan Assessment for Bishop's Fund $15.25; total indebtedness $15.25.

FINANCIAL REPORT.

Receipts—For all purposes—Cash on hand, per last report $39.93; pledges and subscriptions, Pew rent $560.82; collections in church, &c., $565.13; Sunday School $16.57; Woman's Auxiliary, money $2.00; Guilds,

or other Societies $96.11, total receipts for all purposes $1,280.56.

Disbursements (1) *For current expenses*—Salary of Rector $600.00; other salaries $50.00; other current expenses, other objects, ordinary repairs &c., $574.31; cash on hand $56.25, total for current expenses $1,280.56.

Disbursements—Contributions (1) *For objects in the Parish*—Communion Alms $42.50; Parish Missions $36.00; maintaining Sunday Schools $16.57, total contributions for objects in the Parish $95.07. *Contributions* (2) *For objects in the Diocese*—Salary of Bishops $59.75; permanent fund $1.58; Diocesan Missions $75.00; Convocation Missions $35.00; Widows and Orphans, Aged and Disabled Clergy Fund $5.79; Religious and Theological Education $6.63; Sheltering Arms Hospital $7.05, total contributions for objects in the Diocese $185.80. *Contributions* (3) *For objects without the Diocese*—Jews $2.35;; Foreign Missions General $5.82; for Foreign and Domestic Missions $75.00; total Foreign Missions $83.27; other objects, American Bible Society $3.00, total contributions for objects without the Diocese $86.27.

Statement—Current expenses raised by congregation as above $857.27; for objects in the Parish $95.07; for objects in the Diocese $185.80; for objects without the Diocese $86.27; total of contributions $367.04; all money raised by the congregation for current expenses and for contributions $1,224.31; cash on hand $56.25; total $1,280.56.

PAROCHIAL REPORT.

Rev. P. N. McDONALD, address Paint Creek, W. Va. Miss Mary E. Fish Missionary. Good Shepherd Church, Paint Creek, Kanawha County; date of organization Nov., 1904; present minister took charge Aug. 1, 1905.

Church Officers—Treasurer, Dr. J. E. Cannaday, address Paint Creek, W. Va.; Supt. of Sun. Schools, Miss M. E. Fish, Paint Creek; S. S. Sec. & Treas., Mary E. Fish.

Official Acts—Baptisms, infants 1, adults 2, total 3; presented for confirmation since last report 2; burials 10; public services, Sundays 20; other days 6, total 26; Holy Communion, public 1, total 1.

Communicants—Number last reported 13; admitted by confirmation 2; added otherwise 3; total gain 5; died 1; total loss 1; net gain 4; present number total 17.

Congregation—Baptized persons connected with Parish, this includes all communicants and confirmed persons 28; confirmed persons connected with Parish 20; families 10; individuals not thus included 13; whole number of individuals 45; number of scattered communicants in your section not connected with any Parish 15; number sittings in church 180; number free sittings 180; number sittings in Sunday School Room 30.

Rector's Salary—As pledged from this congregation $100.00; as pledged from other congregations $350.00, total $450.00.

Organizations—Sunday School, officers and teachers, female 3, total 3; pupils, male 13, female 18, total 31; Advent offering $1.79; Lenten offering $7.81; other offerings $4.43, total Sunday School offerings $14.03; Industrial Schools, officers and teachers 1; scholars 7, total 8.

Property—Church, frame, insurance $1,200, value $1,651.17; rectory, frame, insurance $2,500, value $3,023.07, total insurance $3,700; total value $4,674.21. *Indebtedness*—On church and furniture $182.19; on rectory $902.46, total indebtedness $1,084.65; money raised from outside sources $3,335.62; for what objects used, church and rectory.

FINANCIAL REPORT.

Receipts—For all purposes—Pledges and subscriptions $81.60; collections in church $90.03; Sunday School $14.03; Guilds, or other Societies $253.94; contributions from without $13.00, total receipts for all purposes $452.60.

Disbursements (1) *For current expenses*—Salary of Rector $81.60; other current expenses $13.64, total for current expenses $95.24.

Disbursements—Contributions (1) *For objects in the Parish*—Parish Missions $8.00; maintaining Sunday Schools $4.43; payment on debts for building, &c., $22.56; on church $216.94; on rectory $37.00, total contributions for objects in the Parish $288.93. *Contributions* (2) *For objects in the Diocese*—Diocesan Missions $2.73; Religious and Theological Education $1.20; Sheltering Arms Hospital $2.35; Miners' Relief Fund $3.64, total contributions for objects in the Diocese $9.92. *Contributions* (3) *For objects without the Diocese*—Domestic Missions General $12.24, total contributions for objects without the Diocese $12.24.

Statement—Current expenses raised by congregation as above $95.24; for objects in the Parish $288.93; for objects in the Diocese $9.92; for objects without the Diocese $12.24, total of contributions $311.09; all money raised by the congregation for current expenses and for contributions $452.60; cash on hand $46.27.

Remarks—The church and rectory are situated on the grounds of the Sheltering Arms Hospital. In this institution efficient work is done by Miss Mary E. Fish, Missionary of Woman's Auxiliary in this Diocese. These missions have been formerly known as the Kanawha Missions. They are directly under the control of the rector of St. John's Church, Charleston. The missionary in charge is a deacon working under Rev. R. D. Roller, D.D., and draws his salary from this source. Occasional services are held at Burnwell, Cedar Grove, Republic, North Carbon, Ward and Mammoth.

PAROCHIAL REPORT.

Rev. P. N. McDONALD, address Paint Creek. Carbon Mission, Carbon, Kanawha county; date of organization 1904; present minister took charge Aug. 1, 1905.

Church Officers—Treasurer, Gunther Peyton, address Carbon, W. Va.; Supt. of Sun. Schools, Mrs. C. V. Rodes, address Carbon, W. Va.; S. S. Sec. & Treas., Lee Jenkins.

Official Acts—Baptisms, infants 4, total 4; marriages 2; burials 1; catechisings 2; public services, Sundays 10, other days 6, total 16.

Communicants—Number last reported 8; added otherwise 1, total gain 1; transferred 3; total loss 3; net loss 2; present number total 6.

Congregation—Baptized persons connected with Parish, this includes all communicants and confirmed persons, 18; confirmed persons connected with Parish 6; families 5; individuals not thus included 7; whole number of individuals 25; number of scattered communicants in your section not connected with any Parish 4.

Rector's Salary—As pledged from this congregation $100.00.

Organizations—Sunday School, officers and teachers, male 3, female 1, total 4; pupils, male 14; female 18, total 32; other offerings $8.00; used in buying S. S. supplies; Woman's Auxiliary, members 12. *Other Organizations*—Woman's Auxiliary works in connection with Wake Forest.

FINANCIAL REPORT.

Receipts—For all purposes—Pledges and subscriptions $67.29; collections in church $17.00; thank offerings $100.00; Sunday School $8.00, total receipts for all purposes $192.29.

Disbursements (1) *For current expenses*—Salary of Rector $67.29; other current expenses $11.50, total for current expenses $78.79.

Disbursements—Contributions (2) *For objects in the Diocese*—Sheltering Arms Hospital $102.00; other objects, Widows and Orphans de'cd. Clergy $2.63, total contributions for objects in the Diocese $104.63. *Contributions* (3) *For objects without the Diocese*—Foreign Missions General $1.50, total contributions for objects without the Diocese $1.50.

Statement—Current expenses raised by congregation as above $78.79; for objects in the Diocese $104.63; for objects without the Diocese $1.50; total of contributions $106.13; all money raised by the congregation for current expenses and for contributions $192.28; cash on hand $7.37.

Remarks—We are looking forward to building a church here in the near future.

PAROCHIAL REPORT.

Rev. P. N. McDONALD, address Paint Creek, W. Va. Wake Forest Mission, Wake Forest, Kanawha county; date of organization 1904; present minister took charge Aug. 1st., 1905.

Church Officers—Treasurer, J. C. Grymes, address Wake Forest, W. Va.; Supt. of Sun. Schools, Mrs. J. C. Grymes, Wake Forest.

Official Acts—Baptisms, infants 3; marriages 1; burials 1; catechisings 1; public services, Sundays 10, other days 9, total 19.

Communicants—Number last reported 8; added otherwise 4, total gain 4; removed without letter 2; total loss 2; net gain 2; present number total 10.

Congregation—Baptized persons connected with Parish, this includes all communicants and confirmed persons, 19; confirmed persons connected with Parish 11; families 6; individuals not thus included 13; whole number of individuals 24; number of scattered communicants in your section not connected with any Parish 5.

Rector's Salary—As pledged from this congregation $100.00.

Organizations—Sunday School, officers and teachers, male 1, female 2, total 3; pupils, male 18, female 22, total 40; Lenten offering 8; other offerings 12; total Sunday School offerings $20.00; Woman's Auxiliary, members 11.

Property—Organ $25.00; money raised from outside sources $20.00; for what objects used, purchasing organ.

FINANCIAL REPORT.

Receipts—For all purposes—Pledges and subscriptions $32.50; collections in church $21.64; Sunday School $20.00; contributions from without $20.00, total receipts for all purposes $94.14.

Disbursements (1) *For current expenses*—Salary of Rector $32.50; other current expenses $5.00; total for current expenses $37.50.

Disbursements—Contributions (1) *For objects in the Parish*—Maintaining Sunday Schools $12.00; organ $25.00, total contributions for objects in the Parish $37.00. *Contributions* (2) *For objects in the Diocese*—Salary of Bishops $1.48; Sheltering Arms Hospital $2.45; Detroit Relief Fund $1.00, total contributions for objects in the Diocese $4.93. *Contributions* (3) *For objects without the Diocese*—Domestic Missions General $1.05; Foreign Missions General, S. S., $8.00, total Foreign Missions $9.05; total contributions for objects without the Diocese $9.05.

Statement—Current expenses raised by congregation as above $37.50; for objects in the Parish $37.00; for objects in the Diocese $4.93; for objects without the Diocese $9.05, total of contributions $50.98; all money raised by the congregation for current expenses and for contributions $94.14; cash on hand $5.66.

Remarks—Services are held here in the school house

PAROCHIAL REPORT.

Rev. P. N. McDONALD, address Paint Creek, W. Va. Christ Church, Standard Mission, Standard, Kanawha county; date of organization April,

1905; present minister took charge Aug. 1, 1905.

Church Officers—Trustees, W. A. Wood, Aaron Shanghan, P. Ferren, Harry Woodruff, S. C. Abbott; treasurer, W. A. Wood, address Standard, W. Va.; Supt. of Sun. Schools Dr. Musgrave; Standard, W. Va.; S. S. Sec. & Treas., Harry Woodruff.

Official Acts—Baptisms, infants 2, adults 2, total 4; presented for confirmation since last report 4; burials 4; catechisings 3; public services, Sundays 9, other days 8, total 17.

Communicants—Admitted by letter 4; added otherwise 9; net gain 13; present number total 13.

Congregation—Baptized persons connected with Parish, this includes all communicants and confirmed persons, 22; confirmed persons connected with Parish 13; families 6; number of scattered communicants in your section not connected with any Parish 4.

Rector's Salary—As pledged from this congregation $100.00.

Organizations—Sunday School, officers and teachers, male 3, female 2, total 5; pupils, male 27, female 33, total 60; Lenten offering $5.12, total Sunday School offerings $15.00. *Other Organizations*—Woman's Aid Society has raised over $100.00 toward building a new church.

FINANCIAL REPORT.

Receipts—For all purposes—Pledges and subscriptions $50.00; collections in church $34.12; Sunday School $15.00; Guilds, or other Societies $100.00, total receipts for all purposes $199.12.

Disbursements (1) *For current expenses*—Salary of Rector $50.00; other current expenses $10.00, total for current expenses $60.00.

Disbursements—Contributions (1) *For objects in the Parish*—Maintaining Sunday Schools $10.00. *Contributions* (2) *For objects in the Diocese*—Salary of Bishops $1.50; Sheltering Arms Hospital $1.74, total contributions for objects in the Diocese $3.24. *Contributions* (3) *For objects without the Diocese*—Domestic Missions General $2.50; Foreign Missions S. S. $5.12, total contributions for objects without the Diocese $7.62.

Statement—Current expenses raised by congregation as above $60.00; for objects in the Parish $10.00; for objects in the Diocese $3.24; for objects without the Diocese $7.62, total of contributions $20.86; all money raised by the congregation for current expenses and for contributions $199.12; cash on hand $118.26. This includes $100.00 towards new church.

Remarks—It is hoped to build here a church this summer costing from $600 to $800.

PAROCHIAL REPORT.

Rev. P. N. McDONALD, address Paint Creek, W. Va. East Bank Mission, East Bank, Kanawha county; date of organization Aug. 1, 1905; present minister took charge Aug. 1, 1905.

Church Officers—Treasurer, McLaurin, address Coalburg, W. Va.

Official Acts—Public services, Sundays 9, total 9.

Communicants—Number last reported 3, present number total 3.

Congregation—Baptized persons connected with Parish, this includes all communicants and confirmed persons 12; confirmed persons connected with Parish 3; families 5; whole number of individuals 15.

Rector's Salary—As pledged from this congregation $100.00; as pledged from other congregations $400.00, total $500.00.

FINANCIAL REPORT.

Receipts—For all purposes—Pledges and subscriptions $53.00; collections in church $17.71, total receipts for all purposes $70.71.

Disbursements (1) *For current expenses*—Salary of Rector $53.00; payment on debts contracted for current expenses $5.00, total for current expenses $58.00.

Disbursements—Contributions (1) *For objects in the Parish*—Miners' Relief fund 4.00. *Contributions* (2) *For objects in the Diocese*—Salary of Bishops $3.15. *Contributions* (3) *For objects without the Diocese*—Domestic Missions General $1.38.

Statement—Current expenses raised by congregation as above $58.00; for objects in the Parish $4.00; for objects in the Diocese $3.15; for objects without the Diocese $1.38, total of contributions $8.53; all money raised by the congregation for current expenses and for contributions $70.71; cash on hand $3.18.

Remarks—This church is a mission held in Free Will Baptist church at East Bank. It is one of the Kanawha Missions under St. John's church, Charleston.

PAROCHIAL REPORT.

Rev. P. N. McDONALD, address Paint Creek. Presbyterian church, Dubree Mission, Dubree, Fayette county; present minister took charge Nov., 1905.

Church Officers—Treasurer, H. H. Rothwell, address Dubree.

Official Acts—Baptisms, infants 3, total 3; public services, Sundays 5, other days 8, total 13.

Communicants—Number last reported 12; added otherwise 1, total gain 1; net gain 1; present number total 13.

Congregation—Baptized persons connected with Parish, this includes all communicants and confirmed persons, 40; confirmed persons connected with Parish 17; families 10; individuals not thus included 16; whole number of individuals 56; number of scattered communicants in your section not connected with any Parish 3.

Rector's Salary—As pledged from this congregation $75.00.

FINANCIAL REPORT.

Receipts—For all purposes—Pledges and subscriptions $36.36; collections in church $4.73; total receipts for all purposes $41.09.

Disbursements (1) *For current expenses*—Salary of Rector $31.36; other current expenses 50 cents; total for current expenses $31.86.

Disbursements—Contributions (2) *For objects in the Diocese*—Salary of Bishops $5.00; Diocesan Missions $2.21, total contributions for objects in the Diocese $7.21. *Contributions* (3) *For objects without the Diocese*—Foreign Missions General $2.52; for China $5.00, total Foreign Missions $7.52; total contributions for objects without the Diocese $7.52.

Statement—Current expenses raised by congregation as above $31.86; for objects in the Diocese $7.21; for objects without the Diocese $7.52, total of contributions $14.73; all money raised by the congregation for current expenses and for contributions $41.09; indebtedness $5.50.

Remarks—Near Dubree is Beauty. Beauty Mission 4 communicants; 8 services; 2 baptisms.

PAROCHIAL REPORT.

Rev. W. HOWARD MEYERS, address Sutton, W. Va. St. John's church, Sutton, Braxton county; present minister took charge July 15, 1904.

Church Officers—Church Wardens, Amos Bright, W. E. Haymond; other vestrymen, E. A. Blond; registrar, Amos Bright, address Sutton, W. Va.; treasurer, Amos Bright, address Sutton, W. Va.; Supt. of Sun. Schools, Amos Bright, address Sutton, W. Va.; S. S. Sec. & Treas., Miss Helen Berry.

Official Acts—Baptisms, adults 1, total 1; presented for confirmation since last report 2, marriages 3; public services, Sundays 40, other days 24, total 64; Holy Communion, public 8, total 8.

Communicants—Number last reported 10; admitted by confirmation 2; restored to communion 1; added otherwise 1, total gain 4; removed without letter 3; lapsed 5; total loss 8; net loss 4; present number total 6.

Congregation—Baptized persons connected with Parish, this includes all communicants and confirmed persons, 28; confirmed persons connected with Parish 16; families 10; whole number of individuals 28; number of scattered communicants in your section not connected with any Parish 16; number sittings in church 150; number free sittings 150.

Rector's Salary—As pledged from this congregation $400.00; from Diocesan Missions $50.00; as pledged from other congregations $225.00, total $675.00.

Organizations—Sunday School, officers and teachers, male 2, female 1, total 3; pupils, male 12, female 18, total 30; Lenten offering $7.26; other offerings $2.90, total Sunday School offering $10.16.

Property—Church, wood, value $1,500; total value $1,500. *Indebtedness*—Due the minister $155.00, total indebtedness $155.00.

FINANCIAL REPORT.

Receipts—For all purposes—Pledges and subscriptions $400.00; collections in church $95.61; Sunday School $10.16; contributions from without $13.97; income from other sources $83.70, total receipts for all purposes $603.44.

Disbursements (1) *For current expenses*—Salary of Rector $400.00, total for current expenses $400.00.

Disbursements—Contributions (1) *For objects in the Parish*—Building and extraordinary repairs and improvements $59.13, total contributions for objects in the Parish $59.13. *Contributions* (2) *For objects in the Diocese*—Salary of Bishops $10.00; permanent fund $2.17; Diocesan Missions $10.00; Convocation Missions $1.50; Widows and Orphans, Aged and Disabled Clergy Fund $5.12; Religious and Theological Education $6.15; Sheltering Arms Hospital $3.12, total contributions for objects in the Diocese $38.06. *Contributions* (3) *For objects without the Diocese*—Domestic Missions General $5.00; total Domestic Missions $5.00; Foreign Missions General $5.00; total Foreign Missions $5.00; total contributions for objects without the Diocese $10.00.

Statement—Current expenses raised by congregation as above $400.00; for objects in the Parish $59.13; for objects in the Diocese $38.06; for objects without the Diocese $10.00; total of contributions $107.19; all money raised by the congregation for current expenses and for contributions $507.19; cash on hand $96.25; credit balance $603.44.

Remarks—The Mission has done remarkably well financially during the past year. There are no debts and a balance in the treasury of $96.25, which will be used for recarpeting the church and for purchasing a baptismal font. The town is feeling the competition of the new town of Gassaway, five miles down the river. But prospects for a railroad connecting the two towns and for opening up coal fields on the river north of Sutton, are very good.

PAROCHIAL REPORT.

Rev. W. HOWARD MEYERS, address Sutton, W. Va. Church of the Transfiguration, Upshur County Mission, Buckhannon, Upshur county; date of organization Aug. 1, 1903; present minister took charge July 15, 1904.

Church Officers—Church Wardens, C. C. Higginbotham, W. H. Fisher; registrar, J. J. Singleton, address Buckhannon, W. Va.; treasurer, C. O.

Latham, address Buckhannon, W. Va.; Supt. of Sun. Schools, Miss Mary Higginbotham, Buckhannon; S. S. Sec. & Treas., Miss Gertrude Latham.

Official Acts—Burials 2; public services, Sundays 38; other days 38, total 76; Holy Communion; public 10, private 3, total 13.

Communicants—Number last reported 25; added otherwise 4, total gain 4; died 2; removed without letter 3; lapsed 3; total loss 8; net gain 4; present number total 21.

Congregation—Baptized persons connected with Parish, this includes all communicants and confirmed persons 31; confirmed persons connected with Parish 24; families 11; individuals not thus included 1; whole number of individuals 31; number sittings in church 250; number free sittings 250.

Rector's Salary—As pledged from this congregation $200.00; from Diocesan Missions $50.00; as pledged from other congregations $425.00; total $675.00.

Organizations—Sunday School, officers and teachers, male 1, female 2, total 3; pupils, male 1, female 11, total 12; Lenten offering $5.56. *Other Organizations*—St. Anne's Guild; Girl's Choir Chapter.

Property—Church, wood, insurance $1,500, value $3,000, total value, insurance $1,500; value $3,000. *Indebtedness*—Due the minister $38.67, total indebtedness $38.67.

FINANCIAL REPORT.

Receipts—For all purposes—Cash on hand, per last report $4.81; pledges and subscriptions $204.23; collections in church $83.22; Guilds, or other Societies $141.11; contributions from without $18.38, total receipts for all purposes $451.75.

Disbursements (1) *For current expenses*—Salary of Rector $200.00; other salaries $12.25; other current expenses $3.50; other objects $8.80, total for current expenses $224.55.

Disbursements—Contributions (1) *For objects in the Parish*—Building and extraordinary repairs and improvements $105.45; maintaining Sunday Schools $6.25; other objects $38.00, total contributions for objects in the Parish $149.70. *Contributions* (2) *For objects in the Diocese*—Salary of Bishops $10.00; Diocesan Missions $15.00; Convocation Missions $1.50; Widows and Orphans, Aged and Disabled Clergy Fund $4.00, total contributions for objects in the Diocese $30.50. *Contributions* (3) *For objects without the Diocese*—Domestic Missions General $5.00, total Domestic Missions $5.00; Foreign Missions General $5.00, total Foreign Missions $5.00.

Statement—Current expenses raised by congregation as above $224.55; for objects in the Parish $149.70; for objects in the Diocese $30.50; for objects without the Diocese $10.00, total of contributions $190.20; all money raised by the congregation for current expenses and for contributions $414.75; cash on hand $37.00; credit balance $451.75.

Remarks—This Mission has suffered the loss of five communicants, which is quite a number for a small place to lose. Regular services continue with attendance fairly good. The town is still dead.

PAROCHIAL REPORT.

Rev. W. HOWARD MEYERS, address Sutton, W. Va. Spruce Chapel, Upshur County Mission, Lorentz, Upshur county; present minister took charge July 15, 1904.

Church Officers—Wm. Loudin, Geo. W. Spaulding; registrar, Geo. W. Spaulding, address Lorentz, W. Va.; treasurer, John Dowell, address Lorentz, W. Va.; Supt. of Sun. Schools, Ralph Lewis, Lorentz, W. Va.; S. S. Sec. & Treas., Miss Mary Dowell.

Official Acts—Baptisms, infants 5, total 5; burials 1; public services, Sundays 16, other days 7, total 23; Holy Communion, public 5, total 5.

Communicants—Number last reported 10; died 1; removed without letter 1; total loss 2; net loss 2; present number total 8.

Congregation—Baptized persons connected with Parish, this includes all communicants and confirmed persons, 26; confirmed persons connected with Parish 8; whole number of individuals 26; number sittings in church 80; number free sittings 80.

Rector's Salary—As pledged from this congregation $25.00; from Diocesan Missions $50.00; as pledged from other congregations $600.00, total $675.00.

Organizations—Sunday School, officers and teachers, male 2, female 2, total 4; pupils, male 8, female 14, total 22; Advent offering $1.00; Lenten offering $2.10; other offerings $4.15, total Sunday School offerings $7.25.

Property—Church, wood, insurance $500.00, value $800.00; rectory, wood, value $400.00; no insurance; total value, insurance $500.00; value $1,200.

FINANCIAL REPORT.

Receipts—For all purposes—Pledges and subscriptions $30.61; collections in church $12.00; Sunday School $3.00; income from other sources $19.14, total receipts for all purposes $64.75.

Disbursements (1) *For current expenses*—Salary of Rector $31.00, total for current expenses $31.00.

Disbursements—Contributions (1) *For objects in the Parish*—Building and extraordinary repairs and improvements $16.75; maintaining Sunday Schools $3.00, total contributions for objects in the Parish $19.75. *Contributions* (2) *For objects in the Diocese*—Salary of Bishops $4.00; Diocesan Missions $4.00, total contributions for objects in the Diocese $8.00. *Contributions* (3) *For objects without the Diocese*—Domestic Missions

General $2.00; total Domestic Missions $2.00; Foreign Missions General $2.00, total Foreign Missions $2.00.

Statement—Current expenses raised by congregation as above $31.00; for objects in the Parish $19.75; for objects in the Diocese $8.00; for objects without the Diocese $4.00, total of contributions $31.75; all money raised by the congregation for current expenses and for contributions $62.75; cash on hand $2.00; credit balance $64.75.

Remarks—The Chapel is doing very well for its size. The few people are loyal and faithful. There will be a class to receive the Apostolic Rite when the Bishop comes.

PAROCHIAL REPORT.

Rev. W. HOWARD MEYERS, address Sutton, W. Va. Gassaway Mission, Gassaway, Braxton county; present minister took charge July 15, 1904.

Official Acts—Public services, Sundays 10, other days 2, total 12.

Communicants—Number last reported 2; added otherwise 2, total gain 2; removed without letter 1; net gain 1; present number total 3.

Congregation—Baptized persons connected with Parish, this includes all communicants and confirmed persons, 3; confirmed persons connected with Parish 3; families 1; individuals not thus included 2.

Rector's Salary—As pledged from this congregation $25.00; from Diocesan Missions $50.00; as pledged from other congregations $600.00, total $675.00.

FINANCIAL REPORT.

Receipts—For all purposes—Pledges and subscriptions $175.00; total receipts for all purposes $175.00.

Disbursements (1) *For current expenses*—Salary of Rector $25.00; other objects $150.00, total for current expenses $175.00.

Statement—Current expenses raised by congregation as above $175.00; all money raised by the congregation for current expenses and for contributions $175.00.

Remarks—Gassaway is growing and will be a town. We have two good lots here, which are well located. The few faithful communicants will form a good nucleus for a congregation in due time.

PAROCHIAL REPORT.

Rev. W. HOWARD MEYERS, address Sutton, W. Va. Other Missions, Burnsville, Levi, Webster Springs, Centralia, Camden on Gauley, Curtin,

Richwood, Rupert and Flatwoods; Braxton, Webster and Nicholas counties; present minister took charge July 15, 1904.

Official Acts—Burials 1; Public services, Sundays, none; other days 24, total 24.

Communicants—Including all these points, number last reported 14; added otherwise 2; total gain 2; removed without letter 2; present number total 14.

Congregation—Baptized persons connected with Parish, this includes all communicants and confirmed persons, 24; confirmed persons connected with Parish 14; families 10.

Rector's Salary—As pledged from these congregations $50.00; from Diocesan Missions $50.00; as pledged from other congregations $575.00, total $675.00.

FINANCIAL REPORT.

Receipts—For all purposes—Pledges and subscriptions $50.00, total receipts for all purposes $50.00.

Disbursements (1) *For current expenses*—Salary of Rector $50.00, total for current expenses $50.00.

Statement—Current expenses raised by congregation as above $50.00; all money raised by the congregation for current expenses and for contributions $50.00.

Remarks—These points are widely separated, and the only work possible is that of a week day service.

PAROCHIAL REPORT.

Rev. A. B. MITCHELL, address Parkersburg. Good Shepherd church, Parkersburg, Wood county; present minister took charge Aug., 1903.

Church Officers—Church Warden, Simms Powell; other vestrymen, W. G. Peterkin, A. W. Wagenknecht, T. C. Ronan; registrar, A. W. Wagenknecht, address Parkersburg, W. Va.; treasurer, W. G. Peterkin, address Parkersburg, W. Va.; Supt. of Sun. Schools, Simms Powell, Parkersburg, W. Va.; S. S. Sec. & Treas., W. G. Peterkin; Lay Reader, Simms Powell.

Official Acts—Baptisms, infants 2, adults 3, total 5; presented for confirmation since last report 7; marriages 2; burials 2; catechisings 10; public services, Sundays 70, other days 14, total 84; Holy Communion, public 12, total 12.

Communicants—Number last reported 18; admitted by confirmation 7; added otherwise 7; total gain 14; removed without letter 3; lapsed 1; total loss 4; net gain 10; present number total 28.

Congregation—Baptized persons connected with Parish, this includes all communicants and confirmed persons, 45; confirmed persons connected with Parish 28; families 20; individuals not thus included 25; whole number of individuals 70; number sittings in church 380; number free sittings all; number sittings in Chapel 200.

Rector's Salary—As pledged from this congregation $400.00; from Diocesan Missions $250.00; as pledged from other congregations $100.00.

Organizations—Sunday School, officers and teachers, male 3, female 11, total 14; pupils, male 90, female 100, total 204; Advent offering $30.00; Lenten offering $21.83; Cuba and Brazil $4.80; Sheltering Arms $10.00; Diocesan Missions $7.54, total Sunday School offerings $74.17; Parish Sewing Schools, officers and teachers 5; scholars 75, total 80. *Other Organizations*—Ladies' Aid, 15 members; Girl's Sunshine, 20 members; Young Men's Club 20 members; Boys' Club 35 members.

Property—Church, wood, value $10,000; Chapel, wood, value $8,000; rectory, wood, value $2,500; money raised from outside sources $535.00; for what objects used, for equipment of new church.

FINANCIAL REPORT.

Receipts—For all purposes—Pledges and subscriptions $456.00; collections in Church $662.32; thank offerings $920.28; Sunday School $74.17; Guilds, or other Societies $215.14; contributions from without $535.00; income from other sources $3.00; total receipts for all purposes $2,865.21.

Disbursements (1) *For current expenses*—Salary of Rector $401.00; other salaries $660.00; insurance $135.00; ordinary repairs $24.58; other current expenses $143.24; other objects $1.99; over draft 62 cents; total for current expenses $1,366.43.

Disbursements—Contributions (1) *For objects in the Parish*—Communion Alms $15.00; building and extraordinary repairs and improvements and equipping new church $267.26; maintaining Sunday Schools $3.00, total contributions for objects in the Parish $285.26. *Contributions* (2) *For objects in the Diocese*—Salary of Bishops $25.00; permanent fund $16.50; Diocesan Missions $167.68; Convocation Missions $10.00; Widows and Orphans, Aged and Disabled Clergy Fund $36.00; Religious and Theological Education $20.25; Sheltering Arms Hospital $20.00; Theological Seminary $5.45; Bishop's Special Fund $20.00, total contributions for objects in the Diocese $320.88. *Contributions* (3) *For objects without the Diocese*—Domestic Missions General $72.42; colored people $10.07; Indians $5.25; Deaf and Dumb $5.00; Jews 2; Thro' American Ch. Mission Society $4.00, total Domestic Missions $98.74; Foreign Missions General $76.41; for Mexico $10.95; for Philippines $5.00; Porto Rico $2.50; Brazil $15.15; Cuba $15.15, total Foreign Missions $125.16; American Church Building Fund $3.00; General Clergy Relief Fund $18.87; Bible and Prayer Book Society $20.00; other objects $12.00, total contributions for objects without the Diocese $277.77.

Statement—Current expenses raised by congregation as above $1,366.43; for objects in the Parish $285.26; for objects in the Diocese $320.88; for objects without the Diocese $277.77, total of contributions $2,883.91; all money raised by the congregation for current expenses and for contribu-

tions $2,250.34; cash on hand $79.87; contributed from without $535.00; receipts from all sources $2,865.21.

Remarks—A handsome new church building and a rectory have been presented to the congregation, so that now with the Parish House we have a very complete plant.

PAROCHIAL REPORT.

Rev. A. B. MITCHELL, address Parkersburg, 1023 Laid Ave. Christ Memorial church, Williamstown, Wood county; present minister took charge August, 1903.

Church Officers—Church Wardens, J. W. Snodgrass, Charles Hunter; other vestrymen, H. C. Henderson, A. T. Henderson, R. Hammatt, J. F. Snodgrass; registrar, H. C. Henderson, address Williamstown; treasurer, A. T. Henderson, address Williamstown; Supt. of Sun. Schools, H. C. Henderson, Williamstown; S. S. Sec. & Treas., Miss Fannie Biddle; Lay Reader, H. C. Henderson.

Official Acts—Catechisings 3; public services, Sundays 44, other days 1, total 44; Holy Communion, public 10.

Communicants—Number last reported 28; transferred 1; total loss 1; present number total 27.

Congregation—Baptized persons connected with Parish, this includes all communicants and confirmed persons, 35; confirmed persons connected with Parish 27; families 20; individuals not thus included 20; whole number of individuals 47; number of sittings in church 150.

Rector's Salary—As pledged from this congregation $200.00.

Organizations—Sunday School, officers and teachers, male 1, female 5, total 6; pupils, male 7, female 10, total 17; Advent offering $8.82; Lenten offering $9.52; other offerings $17.00, total Sunday School offerings $35.34; Woman's Auxiliary, members 15. *Other Organizations*—Juniors 8.

Property—Church, wood, insurance $1,500, value $2,500; rectory, wood, insurance $1,700, value $3,500, total value $6,000. *Indebtedness*—On rectory $1,500.

FINANCIAL REPORT.

Receipts—For all purposes—Pledges and subscriptions $132.90; collections in church $41.56; thank offerings $10.00; Sunday School $35.34; Woman's Auxiliary, money $50.82; Woman's Auxiliary, boxes, value $2.50; Guilds, or other Societies $20.00; income from other sources $26.18; total receipts for all purposes $319.30.

Disbursements (1) *For current expenses*—Salary of Rector $132.90; heating and lighting church $2.50, total for current expenses $135.40.

Disbursements—Contributions (1) *For objects in the Parish*—Maintaining Sunday Schools $16.00; work on Rectory $46.18, total contributions for objects in the Parish $62.18. *Contributions* (2) *For objects in the Diocese*—Salary of Bishops $5.00; Diocesan Missions $19.32; Convocation Missions $2.50; Widows and Orphans, Aged and Disabled Clergy Fund $1.00; Religious and Theological Education $1.00; Sheltering Arms Hospital $5.32; Bishop's Special Fund $12.00; Gassaway $2.00, total contributions $48.14. *Contributions* (3) *For objects without the Diocese*—Domestic Missions General $15.50, total Domestic Missions $15.50; Foreign Missions General $9.52; for Japan $2.00; Porto Rico $2.00; Brazil $1.00, total Foreign Missions $14.52; total contributions for objects without the Diocese $30.02.

Statement—Current expenses raised by congregation as above $135.40; for objects in the Parish $62.18; for objects in the Diocese $48.14; for objects without the Diocese $30.02, total of contributions $140.34; all money raised by the congregation for current expenses and for contributions $319.30; cash on hand $43.56.

PAROCHIAL REPORT.

Rev. A. B. MITCHELL, address Parkersburg. Grace Chapel, Newport, Wood county; present minister took charge Aug., 1903.

Church Officers—Treasurer, Miss Jennie Tavenner; Supt. of Sunday Schools, Fred Bargeloh; S. S. Sec. & Treas., Miss Jennie Tavenner.

Official Acts—Catechisings 3; public services, Sundays 5, other days 25, total 30; Holy Communion, public 3.

Communicants—Number last reported 10; present number total 10.

Congregation—Baptized persons connected with Parish, this includes all communicants and confirmed persons, 20; confirmed persons connected with Parish 10; families 8; individuals not thus included 20; whole number of individuals 40; number sittings in church 100.

Organizations—Sunday School, officers and teachers, male 1, female 4, total 5; pupils, male 10, female 15, total 25; Lenten offering $5.30; other offerings $5.00, total Sunday School offerings $10.30. *Other Organizations*—Ladies' Aid, 14 members.

Property—Church, wood, value $1,200; total value $1,200.

FINANCIAL REPORT.

Receipts—For all purposes—Pledges and subscriptions $35.00; collections in church $16.17; Sunday School $10.50; Woman's Aid, money $48.47; contributions from without $196.24, total receipts for all purposes $286.38.

Disbursements (1) *For current expenses*—Salary of Rector $15.00; other current expenses $5.00, total for current expenses $20.00.

Disbursements—Contributions (1) *For objects in the Parish*—Building and extraordinary repairs and improvements $25.00; maintaining Sunday Schools $10.00, total contributions for objects in the Parish $35.00. *Contributions* (2) *For objects in the Diocese*—Salary of Bishops $3.00; Diocesan Missions $10.00; Convocation Missions $1.50; Bishop's Special Fund $3.00, total contributions for objects in the Diocese $17.50.

Statement—Current expenses raised by congregation as above $20.00; for objects in the Parish $35.00; for objects in the Diocese $17.50, total of contributions $52.50; all money raised by the congregation for current expenses and for contributions $72.50; cash on hand $213.88; contributions from without, for chapel building fund $196.24.

PAROCHIAL REPORT.

Rev. C. HELY MOLONY, address New Martinsville. St. Ann's Church, Wetzel Parish, New Martinsville, Wetzel county; date of organization Jan. 15th, 1851; present minister took charge April 1, 1905.

Church Officers—Church Wardens, Samuel R. Martin, S. W., S. Bruce Hall, J. W.; other vestrymen, Leslie J. Williams; John F. Martin, A. B. Johnson, John H. Bridgeman, Wm. McG. Hall, Henry Koontz, Dr. H. N. Browse; registrar, John F. Martin, address New Martinsville; treasurer, Leslie J. Williams, address New Martinsville; Supt. of Sun. Schools, John F. Martin, New Martinsville; S. S. Sec. & Treas., Samuel R. Martin.

Official Acts—Baptisms, infants 5, adults 2, total 7; presented for confirmation since last report 7; marriages 3; burials 3; catechisings 12; public services, Sundays 99; other days 62, total 161; Holy Communion, public 5, total 5.

Communicants—Number last reported 40; received by letter 5; admitted by confirmation 7; total gain 12; removed without letter 1; total loss 1; net gain 11; present number total 51.

Congregation—Baptized persons connected with Parish, this includes all communicants and confirmed persons, 78; confirmed persons connected with Parish 57; families 29; individuals not thus included 7; whole number of individuals 85; number sittings in church 250; number free sittings 250; number sittings in Chapel 75.

Rector's Salary—As pledged from this congregation $700.00; from Diocesan Missions $100.00, total $800.00.

Organizations—Sunday School, officers and teachers, male 4, female 5, total 9; pupils, male 13, female 21, total 34; Advent offering $7.84; Lenten offering $12.06; other offerings $42.94, total Sunday School offerings $62.84; *Other Organizations*—Senior Ladies' Aid Society, 14 members; Junior Ladies' Aid Society, 14 members; Choir, 18 members.

Property—Church, wood, insurance $3,000, value $6,500; chapel, wood,

value $800.00; rectory, wood, insurance $1,000, value $2,500; two lots, value $2,0$0; total value, insurance $4,000; value $11,800. *Indebtedness*—On church $1,565.78, total indebtedness $1,565.78; money raised from outside sources $200.00; for what objects used, church debt.

FINANCIAL REPORT.

Receipts—For all purposes—Cash on hand, per last report $44.75; pledges and subscriptions $2,000.00; collections in church $240.47; money borrowed $26.25; Sunday School $62.84; Guilds, or other Societies $70.00; contributions from without $200.00; total receipts for all purposes $5,243.06.

Disbursements (1) *For current epenses*—Salary of Rector $700.00; other salaries $30.00; ordinary repairs $50.00; interest on debt $146.57; other current expenses $71.22, total for current expenses $997.79.

Disbursements—Contributions (1) *For objects in the Parish*—Communion Alms $11.39; Parish Missions $5.75; maintaining Sunday Schools $31.72; payment on debts for buildings, &c., $1,058.43, total contributions for objects in the Parish $1,107.29. *Contributions* (2) *For objects in the Diocese*—Salary of Bishops $40.00; permanent fund $8.12; Diocesan Missions $40.00; Convocation Missions $3.00; Widows and Orphans, Aged and Disabled Clergy Fund $8.51; Religious and Theological Education $1.97; Sheltering Arms Hospital $22.00; Theological Seminary $3.61; total contributions for objects in the Diocese $127.21. *Contributions* (3) *For objects without the Diocese*—Domestic Missions General $21.56; Bible and Prayer Book Society $5.00, total contributions for objects without the Diocese $26.56.

Statement—Current expenses raised by congregation as above $997.79; for objects in the Parish $1,107.29; for objects in the Diocese $127.21; for objects without the Diocese $26.56, total of contributions $1,261.06; all money raised by the congregation for current expenses and for contributions $2,258.85.

PAROCHIAL REPORT.

Rev. C. HELY MOLONY, New Martinsville, W. Va. ———— Mission, Smithfield, Wetzel County, W. Va.

Treasurer, Mr. Ralph Loucks, Smithfield, W. Va.

Communicants 2.

Congregation—Baptized persons 30; confirmed persons 12; families 10; other individuals 20; whole number of individuals 52; services, Sundays, 6, other days 2, total 8.

Services are arranged to be held every four weeks, on Sunday evening.

In the Methodist Church—There is no church property at this point; no regularly organized committee. Permanent organization will be effected

this month. Sunday School or other organization at present not possible. Salary has been pledged for 1906-7, $200.00 and traveling expenses of clergyman. A building is our greatest need.

PAROCHIAL REPORT.

Rev. S. SCOLLAY MOORE, D. D., address Parkersburg, W. Va. Trinity Church, Trinity Parish, Parkersburg, Wood county; date of organization 1843; present minister took charge April 15, 1888.

Church Officers—Church Wardens, Dr. T. B. Camden, Mr. W. M. Trevor; other vestrymen, Mr. B. M. Ambler, Mr. J. N. Camden, Mr. W. N. Chancellor, Mr. F. Fowler, Mr. C. C. Martin, Mr. H. H. Moss, Mr. W. J. Robb, Dr. W. H. Sharp, Mr. B. D. Spilman, Mr. W. Vrooman; registrar, Mr. W. M. Trevor, address Parkersburg, W. Va.; treasurer, Dr. W. H. Sharp, address Parkersburg, W. Va.; Supt. of Sun. Schools, the Rector; S. S. Sec. & Treas., Mr. Cecil E. Fitzhugh.

Official Acts—Baptisms, infants 11, adults 1, total 12; marriages 40; burials 22; public services, Sundays 114, other days 102, total 216; Holy Communion, public 34, private 1, total 35.

Communicants—Number last reported 317; received by letter 11; total gain 11; died 4; transferred 8; removed without letter 12; total loss 24; net loss 13; present number total 304.

Congregation—Baptized persons connected with Parish, this includes all communicants and confirmed persons 550; confirmed persons connected with Parish 325; families 200; individuals not thus included 50; whole number of individuals 600; number sittings in church 550; number free sittings 100; number sittings in Sunday School Room 200.

Rector's Salary—As pledged from this congregation $1,800, total $1,800.

Organizations—Sunday School, officers and teachers, male 4, female 11, total 15; pupils, male 46, female 71, total 117; Advent offering $15.41; Lenten offering $20.15; other offerings $22.39, total Sunday School offerings $57.95; Woman's Auxiliary, members 36. *Other Organizations*—Woman's Guild, members 40; Ladies' Aid, members 47; Church Periodical Club, members 38; Junior Auxiliary, members 12; Little Helpers, members 37; King's Daughters, members 14.

Property—Church, stone, insurance $8,000, value $30,000; rectory, brick, insurance $3,000, value 9,000; Sunday School Room, brick, insurance $2,300, value $7,000; other property, insurance $3,300, value $5,500; Episcopal residence, brick, insurance $6,000, value $15,000, total value, insurance $22,600; value $66,500. *Indebtedness*—On Rectory $550.00; other debts $1,250, total indebtedness $1,800.

FINANCIAL REPORT.

Receipts—For all purposes—Pledges and subscriptions $1,015.07; Pew rent $2,333.45; collections in church $1,206.22; money borrowed $340.50;

Sunday School $57.95; Woman's Auxiliary, money $149.91; Woman's Auxiliary, boxes, value $158.12; Guilds, or other Societies $612.75, total receipts for all purposes $5,873.97.

Disbursements (1) *For current expenses*—Salary of Rector $1,800; other salaries $1,043.75; insurance $2.00; ordinary repairs $128.64; other current expenses $339.66; total current expenses $3,314.05.

Disbursements—Contributions (1) *For objects in the Parish*—Building and extraordinary repairs and improvements $450.28; Parish Missions $128.10; maintaining Sunday Schools $38.90; expense of mission $106.30; various objects $18.40; Florence Critterton Home $101.86, total contributions for objects in the Parish $843.84. *Contributions* (2) *For objects in the Diocese*—Salary of Bishops $550.00; Diocesan Missions $432.52; Widows and Orphans, Aged and Disabled Clergy Fund $75.39; Religious and Theological Education $15.81; Sheltering Arms Hospital $152.00; Bishop's Special Fund $474.75; other objects, Hall at Gassaway $28.00; box sent by Auxiliary $75.87; Paint Creek Chapel $25.00, total contributions for objects in the Diocese $1,829.34. *Contributions* (3) *For objects without the Diocese*—Domestic Missions General $118.75; Alaska $1.50; total Domestic Missions $120.25; Foreign Missions General $118.74; for China $30.00; for Japan $5.00; Porto Rico $10.00; Brazil $15.50, total Foreign Missions $179.24; specials $9.00; for Bishop Funstin $10.50; for Bishop Brewer $11.50; Church Periodical Club $31.00, total contributions for objects without the Diocese $361.49.

Statement—Current expenses raised by congregation as above $2,973.55; for objects in the Parish $843.84; for objects in the Diocese $1,829.34; for objects without the Diocese $361.49, total of contributions $3,034.67; all money raised by congregation for current expenses and for contributions $6,008.22.

Remarks—Beginning with September, 1905, services have been held once a month at a school house near Kraft's Station, about three miles out the B. & O. railroad, where a small congregation assembles.

PAROCHIAL REPORT.

Rev. S. SCOLLAY MOORE, address Parkersburg. St. Stephen's (col'd) church, Trinity Parish, Parkersburg, Wood county; date of organization 1896; present minister took charge 1896.

Official Acts—Burials 1; public services, Sundays 29, total 29; Holy Communion, public 3, total 3.

Communicants—Number last reported 8; died 1; total loss 1; net loss 1; present number total 7.

Congregation—Baptized persons connected with Parish, this includes all communicants and confirmed persons, 12; confirmed persons connected

with Parish 8; families 6; whole number of individuals 20; number sittings in Chapel 40.

Property—Chapel, frame, insurance $600.00, value $900.00; other property value $100.00; total value, insurance $600.00; value $1,000. *Indebtedness*—On Chapel $250.00, total indebtedness $250.00.

FINANCIAL REPORT.

Receipts—For all purposes—Collections in church $35.92; interest from investments $32.75, total receipts for all purposes $68.67.

Disbursements (1) *For current expenses*—Ordinary repairs $36.75; interest on debt $17.00; other current expenses $11.92, total for current expenses $65.67.

Disbursements—Contributions (2) *For objects in the Diocese*—Diocesan Missions $1.50; total contributions for objects in the Diocese $1.50. *Contributions* (3) *For objects without the Diocese*—Domestic Missions General 75 cents, total Domestic Missions 75 cents; Foreign Missions General 75 cents, total Foreign Missions 75 cents, total contributions for objects without the Diocese $1.50.

Statement—Current expenses raised by congregation as above $65.67; for objects in the Diocese $1.50; for objects without the Diocese $1.50, total of contributions $3.00; all money raised by the congregation for current expenses and for contributions $68.67.

PAROCHIAL REPORT.

Rev. H. H. PHELPS, address Bramwell, W. Va. Holy Trinity Church, Bramwell Mission, Bramwell, Mercer county; present minister took charge March 1, 1905.

Church Officers—Vestrymen, F. L. Schoew, F. M. Archer, Hon. B. F. Keller, W. C. Brooke, A. R. Paddock, Jairus Collins; treasurer, Jairus Collins, address Bramwell, W. Va.; Supt. of Sun. Schools, Mrs. Walter Brooke; S. S. Sec. & Treas., R. R. Page.

Official Acts—Baptisms, infants 3, adults 2, total 5; presented for confirmation since last report 4; marriages 1; burials 1; catechisings 12; public services, Sundays 65; other days 58, total 123; Holy Communion, public 14, private 1, total 15.

Communicants—Number last reported 23; admitted by confirmation 3; added otherwise 2; total gain 5; removed without letter 4; total loss 4; net gain 1; present number total 24.

Congregation—Baptized persons connected with Parish, this includes all communicants and confirmed persons, 48; confirmed persons connected with Parish 24; families 12; individuals not thus included 5; whole num-

ber of individuals 48; number of scattered communicants in your section not connected with any Parish 2; number sittings in church 200; number free sittings 200.

Rector's Salary—As pledged from this congregation $600.00.

Organizations—Sunday School, officers and teachers, male 1, female 2, total 3; Advent offering $4.00; Lenten offering $13.02, total Sunday School offerings $17.02. *Other Organization*—Woman's Guild.

Property—Church, frame, insurance $2,600, value $5,000; rectory, frame, insurance $3,000, value $5,000; organ, value $1,200, total value, insurance $5,600; value $11,200. *Indebtedness*—Due on Diocesan assessment for Bishop's Fund $25.00.

FINANCIAL REPORT.

Receipts—For all purposes—Cash on hand per last report $46.22; pledges and subscriptions $541.64; collections in church $60.00; money borrowed $100.00; Sunday School $13.02; Guilds, or other Societies $734.16; contributions from without $225.00, total receipts for all purposes $1,720.04.

Disbursements (1) *For current expenses*—Salary of Rector $600.00; other salaries $66.00; ordinary repairs $28.80; interest on debt $33.00; payment on debts contracted for current expenses $100.00; other current expenses $39.75; other objects $484.39, total for current expenses $1,351.94.

Disbursements—Contributions (1) *For objects in the Parish*—Payment on debts for building, &c., $200.00; other objects $10.00, total contributions for objects in the Parish $210.00. *Contributions* (2) *For objects in the Diocese*—Diocesan Missions $45.57; Convocation Missions $2.00; Widows and Orphans, Aged and Disabled Clergy Fund $5.00; Sheltering Arms Hospital $4.80, total contributions for objects in the Diocese $57.37. *Contributions* (3) *For objects without the Diocese*—Domestic Missions General $17.91; total Domestic Missions $17.91; Foreign Missions General $17.90, total Foreign Missions $17.90; specials, boxes, &c., S. S. Lenten boxes $13.02; total contributions for objects without the Diocese $48.83.

Statement—All money for current expenses raised by congregation as above $1,720.04; for objects in the Parish $1,561.94; for objects in the Diocese $57.37; for objects without the Diocese $48.83, total of contributions $1,668.14; cash on hand $51.90.

Remarks—Since our last report Mr. W. D. Tyler with his family has moved to Bristol, Tenn. Our work here has suffered very much in the loss of Mr. Tyler, who was for many years Warden, Sec. and Treas., Superintendent of S. S. and delegate to Diocese Council.

PAROCHIAL REPORT.

Rev. H. H. PHELPS, address Bramwell. Grace Church, Eckman Mis-

sion, Eckman, McDowell county; present minister took charge March 1, 1905.

Church Officers—Church Warden, Dr. P. H. Killey; other vestrymen, Wm. D. Ord, W. G. Williamson; treasurer, Dr. P. H. Killey, address Eckman, W. Va.

Official Acts—Public services, Sundays 12, other days 5, total 17; Holy Communion, public 3, total 3.

Communicants—Number last reported 9; added otherwise 2; net gain 2; present number total 11.

Congregation—Baptized persons connected with Parish, this includes all communicants and confirmed persons, 22; confirmed persons connected with Parish 13; families 6; whole number of individuals 22; number of scattered communicants in your section not connected with any Parish 4; number sittings in church 100; number free sittings 100.

Property—Church, wood, insurance $1,000, value $1,800, total value insurance $1,000; value $1,800.

FINANCIAL REPORT.

Receipts—For all purposes—Pledges and subscriptions $145.00; collections in church $52.70, total receipts for all purposes $197.70.

Disbursements (1) *For current expenses*—Salary of Rector $145.00; insurance $20.00; other current expenses $8.20, total for current expenses $173.20.

Disbursements—Contributions (2) *For objects in the Diocese*—Salary of Bishops $8.00; Diocesan Missions $8.00; Convocation Missions 50 cents, total contributions for objects in the Diocese $16.50. *Contributions* (3) *For objects without the Diocese*—Domestic Missions General $4.00; Foreign Missions General $4.00, total contributions for objects without the Diocese $8.00.

Statement—Current expenses raised by congregation as above $197.70; for objects in the Parish $173.20; for objects in the Diocese $16.50; for objects without the Diocese $8.00; all money raised by the congregation for current expenses and for contributions $197.70.

Remarks—Services at this place are held on the 1st Sunday A. M., of each month and on weekdays as per notice. There are a few members of the church at Keystone, who attend service at Grace Church.

PAROCHIAL REPORT.

Rev. H. H. PHELPS, address Bramwell. Welch Mission, Welch, McDowell county; present minister took charge March 1, 1905.

Church Officers—Mr. Thos. Woodward the past year acted as treasurer.

Official Acts—Baptisms, infants 1, total 1; marriages 1; public services, Sundays 21, other days 15, total 36; Holy Communion, public 3, total 3.

Communicants—Number last reported 20; added otherwise 1, total gain 1; removed without letter 2; net loss 1; present number total 19.

Congregation—Baptized persons connected with Parish, this includes all communicants and confirmed persons 36; confirmed persons connected with Parish 20; families 10; whole number of individuals 36.

Organizations—Woman's Guild 8.

Indebtedness—Due on Diocesan Assessment for Missions $8.00; other debts, on Contingent Fund $8.00; on General Missions $8.00, total indebtedness $24.00. *Note*—Money is in the bank to pay this.

FINANCIAL REPORT.

Receipts—For all purposes—Pledges and subscriptions $128.50; collections in church $47.33; Guilds, or other Societies $2.10; total receipts for all purposes $177.93.

Disbursements (1) *For current expenses*—Salary of Rector $128.50; other salaries $6.00; other objects $12.00, total for current expenses $146.50.

Disbursements—Contributions (1) *For objects in the Parish*—Other objects $6.50, total contributions for objects in the Parish $6.50. *Contributions* (2) *For objects in the Diocese*—Diocesan Missions 50 cents, total contributions for objects in the Diocese 50 cents.

Statement—Current expenses raised by congregation as above $177.93; for objects in the Parish $153.00; for objects in the Diocese 50 cents, total of contributions $153.50; cash on hand $24.43.

Remarks—We have in the Citizen's Bank at Welch for church building purposes $1,121.15. The Woman's Guild has also in the same bank $86.13. Services are held at this place on the 3rd Sunday A. M., of each month, and also on the Saturday evening preceding the 3rd Sunday. Services are held at the Hospital in the afternoon of the 3rd Sunday.

PAROCHIAL REPORT.

Rev. H. H. PHELPS, address Bramwell, W. Va. Crane Creek Mission, Mercer county; present minister took charge March 1, 1905.

Church Officers—Mr. Calvin Shockey acts as treasurer.

Official Acts—Baptisms, infants 4, adults 1, total 5; presented for confirmation since last report 2; marriages 1; public services, Sundays 15, other days 10, total 25; Holy Communion, public 2, total 2.

Communicants—Number last reported 4; admitted by confirmation 2; added otherwise 4; net gain 6; present number total 10.

Congregation—Baptized persons connected with Parish, this includes

all confirmed persons, 29; confirmed persons connected with Parish 12; families 6; individuals not thus included 2; whole number of individuals 29; number of scattered communicants in your section not connected with any Parish 3.

FINANCIAL REPORT.

Receipts—For all purposes—Pledges and subscriptions $16.25; collections in church $33.00, total receipts for all purposes $49.25.

Disbursements (1) *For current expenses*—Salary of Rector $28.25; other current expenses $10.00, total for current expenses $38.25.

Remarks—Services are held up Crane Creek every 4th Sunday evening and on week days as per notice. The attendance at the services in this section is always encouraging. Special fund $6.00.

PAROCHIAL REPORT.

Rev. H. H. PHELPS, address Bramwell. Elkhorn Mission, Elkhorn, McDowell county; present minister took charge March 1, 1905.

Official Acts—Baptisms, infants 2, total 2; public services, Sundays 4, other days 2, total 6.

Communicants—Number last reported 8; removed without letter 1; total loss 1; net loss 1; present number total 7.

Congregations—Confirmed persons connected with Parish 8; baptised persons connected with Parish 15; families 3; whole number of individuals 15.

FINANCIAL REPORT.

Receipts—For current expenses—Collections in church $8.00; other sources $5.00. *Receipts—For all purposes other than current expenses, (i. e. Contributions.)*—Pledges and subscriptions $2.00, grand total of all receipts i. e. for current expenses and contributions $15.00.

Disbursements—For current expenses—Salary of Rector $13.00; other current expenses $2.00.

Financial Summary—Parochial $15.00, total contributions $15.00; current Parochial $15.00, grand total of all money raised by the congregation $15.00.

Remarks—Services are held at this place only on the 5th Sunday. I have had two weekday services—have made, however, a number of visits to this place.

PAROCHIAL REPORT.

Rev. H. H. PHELPS, address Bramwell, W. Va. Gary Mission, Gary, McDowell county; no organization; present minister took charge March 1, 1905.

Church Officers—Dr. R. V. Shanklin acts as treasurer; Gary, W. Va.

Official Acts—Baptisms, infants 1, total 1; presented for confirmation since last report 1; public services, Sundays 12, other days 1, total 13.

Communicants—Admitted by confirmation 1; total gain 1; removed without letter 2; total loss 2; net loss 1; present number total 5.

Congregation—Baptized persons connected with Parish, this includes all communicants and confirmed persons 8; confirmed persons connected with Parish 6; families 2; individuals not thus included 3; whole number of individuals 8; number of scattered communicants in your section not connected with any Parish or Mission 4.

FINANCIAL REPORT.

Receipts—For all purposes—Pledges and subscriptions $49.00; collections in church $52.85, total receipts for all purposes $101.85.

Disbursements (1) *For current expenses*—Salary of Rector $55.00; other current expenses $12.50, total for current expenses $67.50.

Disbursements—Contributions (2) *For objects in the Diocese*—Salary of Bishops $4.00; Diocesan Missions $4.00; Convocation Missions 50 cents; other objects $5.00, total contributions for objects in the Diocese $13.50. *Contributions* (3) *For objects without the Diocese*—Domestic Missions General $4.00, total contributions for objects without the Diocese $4.00.

Statement—For objects in the Parish $67.50; for objects in the Diocese $13.50; for objects without the Diocese $4.00; total of contributions $85.00; all money raised by the congregation for current expenses and for contributions $101.85; cash on hand $16.85.

Remarks—Services are held here on the 3rd Sunday night in each month. Special Fund $10.00.

PAROCHIAL REPORT.

Rev. H. H. PHELPS, address Bramwell. Panther Mission, Panther, McDowell county; present minister took charge 1905.

Official Acts—Public services, Sundays none; other days 9.

Communicants—Present number total 7.

Congregation—Baptized persons connected with Parish, this includes all communicants and confirmed persons 10; confirmed persons connected with Parish 9; families 2; whole number of individuals 10; number of scattered communicants in your section not connected with any Parish 3.

FINANCIAL REPORT.

Receipts—For all purposes—Collections in church $15.80.

Disbursements (1) *For current expenses*—Other current expenses $15.80.

Remarks—At this place services are held during the week before the 3rd

Sunday in each month. The attendance has been encouraging. Services have been held at Iager, a neighboring town, also in connection with the service at Panther. At this place the attendance has been very good. We have one communicant here, and nearby two or three more. If we could have Sunday services in this section much good might be accomplished.

PAROCHIAL REPORT.

Rev. H. H. PHELPS address Bramwell. Rawl Mission, Rawl, Mingo county.

Official Acts—Burials 1; Public services, Sundays none; other days 8; Holy Communion, public 1.

Communicants—Removed without letter 4; present number total 1.

Congregation—Baptized persons connected with Parish, this includes all communicants and confirmed persons 4; confirmed persons connected with Parish 1; families 1; whole number of individuals 5.

FINANCIAL REPORT.

Receipts—For all purposes—Pledges and subscriptions $10.00; collections in church $25.00, total receipts for all purposes $35.00.

Disbursements (1) *For current expenses*—Salary of Rector $10.00; other current expenses $25.00.

Remarks—This report includes the services at Matewan as well as that at Rawl. All the members of the church, who lived at Matewan, have moved away. It is hoped to have services at Rawl on some weekday night once a month. The attendance at the service in this section has been very good.

PAROCHIAL REPORT.

Rev. JAMES F. PLUMMER, address Clarksburg. Christ Church, Bethel Parish, Clarksburg, Harrison county; present minister took charge Jan. 24, 1904.

Church Officers—Church Wardens, Mortimer W. Smith; J. W. Williams; other vestrymen, Chas. B. Alexander, Dr. Wm. B. Rogers, Geo. L. Duncan, Wm. F. Nuzum; registrar, Geo. L. Duncan, address Lownds Savings Bank; treasurer, Chas. B. Alexander, address Hornor Building; Supt. of Sunday Schools, Clarence P. Stout; S. S. Sec. & Treas., Miss S. Scollay Page.

Official Acts—Baptisms, infants 9, adults 4, total 13; presented for confirmation since last report 10; marriages 7; burials 7; catechisings 20;

public services, Sundays 135, other days 75, total 210; Holy Communion, public 25, private 4, total 29.

Communicants—Number last reported 125; admitted by confirmation 10; added otherwise 10; total gain 20; died 4; transferred 2; removed without letter 6; lapsed 15; not otherwise accounted for 4; total loss 31; net loss 11; present number total 114.

Congregation—Baptized persons connected with Parish, this includes all communicants and confirmed persons 250; confirmed persons connected with Parish 140; families 78; individuals not thus included 35; whole number of individuals 300; number sittings in church 220; number free sittings all; number sittings in Chapel 150.

Rector's Salary—As pledged from this congregation $1,200.

Organizations—Sunday School, officers and teachers, male 1, female 5, total 6; pupils, male 35, female 28, total 63; Advent offering $13.25; Lenten offering $37.15; other offerings $32.11; total Sunday School offerings $82.51; Woman's Auxiliary, members 15. *Other Organizations*—Ladies' Aid Society; Parish Guild; Junior Auxiliary.

Property—Church, brick, insurance $5,000, value $12,000; chapel, brick, insurance $900.00, value $1,200; Rectory, frame, insurance $2,500, value $6,000. *Indebtedness*—On Chapel $350.00; other debts, note in Merchants' National Bank $1,300; note to Trustees of permanent fund $800.00; total indebtedness $2,450.

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Receipts—For all purposes—Pledges and subscriptions $1,720.55; collections in church $1,246.92; Sunday School $82.01; Woman's Auxiliary, money $56.03; Woman's Auxiliary, boxes, value $97.15; Guilds, or other Societies $164.45, total receipts for all purposes $3,367.11.

Disbursements (1) *For current expenses*—Salary of Rector $1,200; other salaries $336.00; insurance $105.00; ordinary repairs $162.97; interest on debt $180.30; payment on debts contracted for current expenses $408.98; other current expenses $66.31; other objects $137.18, total for current expenses $2,596.74.

Disbursements—Contributions (1) *For objects in the Parish*—Communion Alms $30.00; maintaining Sunday Schools $23.00, total contributions for objects in the Parish $53.00. *Contributions* (2) *For objects in the Diocese*—Salary of Bishops $125.00; permanent fund $48.00; Diocesan Missions $125.00; Convocation Missions $5.00; Widows and Orphans, Aged and Disabled Clergy Fund $14.60; Religious and Theological Education $27.83; Sheltering Arms Hospital $24.50; S. S. Committee $10.45; Chapel Furnishing Fund of Sheltering Arms Hospital $10.00; Gassaway Mission $6.00; Woman's Missionary of Diocese $6.50, total contributions for objects in the Diocese $402.88. *Contributions* (3) *For objects without the Diocese*—Domestic Missions General $57.35; colored people $2.74; Boise $1.10; Honolulu 1; total Domestic Missions $62.19; Foreign Missions Gen-

eral $69.30; for China $20.00; for Japan $5.00; for Mexico $3.77; Brazil and Cuba $7.35, total Foreign Missions $105.42; specials, boxes, &c. $102.15; General Clergy Relief Fund $2.50; Bible and Prayer Book Society $2.70; other objects, San Francisco $10.00; United offering, Woman's Auxiliary $29.53, total contributions for objects without the Diocese $314.49.

Statement—Current expenses raised by congregation as above $2,596.74; for objects in the Parish $53.00; for objects in the Diocese $402.88; for objects without the Diocese $314.49, total of contributions $770.37; all money raised by the congregation for current expenses and for contributions $3,367.11.

PAROCHIAL REPORT.

Rev. ROBT. DOUGLAS ROLLER, address Charleston, W. Va.; Assistant, Rev. P. N. McDonald, Miss Fish, Woman Missionary. St. John's Church, Kanawha Parish, Charleston, Kanawha county; date of organization 1788; present minister took charge 1888.

Church Officers—Church Wardens, J. Lynn Richardson, J. Talman Waters; other vestrymen, S. S. Green, D. C. Gallaher, Alfred Phillips, Chas. E. Ward, W. G. Hubbard, O. F. Payne, R. C. Thompson; registrar, S. S. Green, address Charleston, W. Va.; treasurer, J. Talman Waters, address Charleston, W. Va.

Official Acts—Baptisms, infants 7, adults 1, total 8; presented for confirmation since last report 14; marriages 5; burials 15; public services, Sundays 110; other days 60, total 170; Holy Communion, public 20.

Communicants—Number last reported 346; admitted by confirmation 14; added otherwise 14; total gain 28; died 7; transferred 34; removed without letter 17; not otherwise accounted for 11; total loss 69; net loss 41; present number total 305.

Congregation—Baptized persons connected with Parish, this includes all communicants and confirmed persons 601; confirmed persons connected with Parish 342; families, individuals not thus included 247; number free sittings 500; number sittings in Chapel 200.

Rector's Salary—As pledged from this congregation $1,600.

Organizations—Sunday School, officers and teachers, male 3, female 11, total 14; pupils, male 45, female 50, total 95; Advent offering $33.78; Lenten offering $118.23; other offerings $123.78, total Sunday School offerings $325.79; Brotherhood of St. Andrew, members 11; Woman's Auxiliary, members 10. *Other Organizations*—Ladies' Guild 6; Ladies' Aid 33; Rector's Aid 22; Junior Auxiliary 15; Babies' Branch 14.

Property—Church, stone, insurance $18,000, value $48,623; Chapel, stone, insurance $2,000, value $10,000; Rectory, frame; Parish House, brick, insurance $4,000, value $12,000; lot $3,000; Sheltering Arms Hospital, frame,

insurance $6,000, value $12,000; total value, insurance $30,000; value $85,-623. *Indebtedness*—On Parish House $3,000.

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Receipts—For all purposes—Cash on hand, per last report $561.00; pledges and subscriptions $2,928.45; collections in church $1,116.30; thank offerings $1,031.96; Sunday School $325.79; Woman's Auxiliary, money $176.01; Woman's Auxiliary, boxes, value $53.00; Guilds, or other Societies $2,669.30; income from other sources $164.25, total receipts for all purposes $9,026.06.

Disbursements (1) *For current expenses*—Salary of Rector $1,691.67; other salaries $932.00; insurance $106.20; ordinary repairs $198.13; other current expenses $484.70; total for current expenses $3,412.70.

Disbursements—Contributions (1) *For objects in the Parish*—Communion Alms $116.87; Parish Missions $303.59; maintaining Sunday Schools $53.42; payment on debts for building, &c., $2,269.12; other objects $1.50, total contributions for objects in the Parish $2,744.50. *Contributions* (2) *For objects in the Diocese*—Salary of Bishops $275.00; permanent fund $6.37; Diocesan Missions $243.50; Convocation Missions $10.00; Widows and Orphans, Aged and Disabled Clergy Fund $76.35; Sheltering Arms Hospital $149.06; Bishop's Special Fund $30.00; other objects $43.50, total contributions for objects in the Diocese $833.78. *Contributions* (3) *For objects without the Diocese*—Domestic Missions General $237.07; Jews $13.20; Boise $1.00, total Domestic Missions $251.27; Foreign Missions General $175.00; for Japan $6.00; Porto Rico $6.00; Brazil $10.00; total Foreign Missions $197.00; specials, boxes, &c., $53.00; General Clergy Relief Fund $6.37, total contributions for objects without the Diocese $507.64.

Statement—Current expenses raised by congregation as above $3,412.70; for objects in the Parish $2,744.50; for objects in the Diocese $833.78; for objects without the diocese $507.64, total of contributions $4,055.92; all money raised by the congregation for current expenses and for contributions $7,498.62; cash on hand $1,527.44.

Remarks—A larger part of the balance on hand is for the purpose of rebuilding the organ.

PAROCHIAL REPORT.

Rev. CHAS. E. SHAW, address Berkeley Springs. St. Mark's Church, St. Mark's Parish, Berkeley Springs, Morgan county; date of organization 1879; present minister took charge Dec. 1st, 1904.

Church Officers—Church Warden, Geo. E. Gilpin, M. D.; other vestrymen, Latrobe Hunter, Hammond Siler, F. R. Reed, Beverly Randolph;

registrar, Hammond Siler, address Berkeley Springs; treasurer, F. R. Reed, address Berkeley Springs; Supt. of Sun. Schools, Rev. C. E. Shaw, Berkeley Springs; S. S. Sec. & Treas., Mrs. S. F. Shelby.

Official Acts—Baptisms, infants 2, adults 1, total 3; presented for confirmation since last report 3; marriages 2; burials 2; catechisings 25; public services, Sundays 42; other days 16, total 58; Holy Communion, public 16, private 1, total 17.

Communicants—Number last reported 23; received by letter 1; admitted by confirmation 3; restored to Communion 1; total gain 5; died 1; removed without letter 1; total loss 2; net gain 3; present number total 26.

Congregation—Baptized persons connected with Parish, this includes all communicants and confirmed persons 47; confirmed persons connected with Parish 26; families 15; individuals not thus included 2; whole number of individuals 47; number sittings in church 250; number free sittings 250.

Rector's Salary—As pledged from this congregation $300.00; from Diocesan Missions $250.00; as pledged from other congregations $250.00, total $800.00.

Organizations—Sunday School, officers and teachers, male 1, female 4, total 5; pupils, male 11, female 9, total 20; Advent offering $6.00; Lenten offering $3.29; other offerings $3.70, total Sunday School offerings $12.99; Woman's Auxiliary, members 15. *Other Organizations*—St. Mark's Guild 12; Rectory Guild 11.

Property—Church, wood, insurance $1,500, value $5,000; Rectory, wood, insurance $1,500, value $3,000; total value, insurance $3,000; value $8,000.

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Receipts—For all purposes—Pledges and subscriptions $157.75; collections in church $173.61; Sunday School $12.99; Woman's Auxiliary, boxes, value $42.00; Guilds, or other Societies $169.26; income from other sources $59.83, total receipts for all purposes $615.44.

Disbursements (1) *For current expenses*—Salary of Rector $300.00; other salaries $36.00; ordinary repairs $9.17; other current expenses $12.46; other objects $93.99, total for current expenses $451.62.

Disbursements—Contributions (1) *For objects in the Parish*—Communion Alms $6.85; maintaining Sunday Schools $12.00, total contributions for objects in the Parish $18.85. *Contributions* (2) *For objects in the Diocese*—Salary of Bishops $21.00; Diocesan Missions $25.00; Convocation Missions 6; Widows and Orphans, Aged and Disabled Clergy Fund $3.80; Religious and Theological Education 63 cents; Sheltering Arms Hospital $5.00; other objects, box for Sheltering Arms Hospital $42.00, total contributions for objects in the Diocese $109.43. *Contributions* (3) *For objects without the Diocese*—Domestic Missions General $10.00; total Domestic Missions $10.00; Foreign Missions General $8.29; total Foreign

Missions $8.29; total contributions for objects without the Diocese $18.29.

Statement—Current expenses raised by congregation as above $451.62; for objects in the Parish $18.85; for objects in the Diocese $109.43; for objects without the Diocese $18.29, total of contributions $146.57; all money raised by the congregation for current expenses and for contributions $598.19; cash on hand $17.25.

PAROCHIAL REPORT.

Rev. CHARLES E. SHAW, address Berkeley Springs. Mt. Zion Church, Norbourne Parish, Hedgesville, Berkeley county; date of organization 1817; present minister took charge Dec 1st, 1904.

Church Officers—Church Wardens, Geo. T. Kreglow, Frank Robbins; other vestrymen, W. B. Lingamfelter, Jacob H. Miller, Lee Lingamfelter, R. B. Kilmer, P. C. Myers, John Ellis, Hamilton Myers; registrar, R. B. Kilmer, address Hedgesville; treasurer, P. C. Myers, address Hedgesville; Supt. of Sun. Schools, G. T. Kreglow, Hedgesville; S. S. Sec. & Treas., Frank Robbins.

Official Acts—Baptisms, infants 4, total 4; presented for confirmation since last report 3; marriages 2; burials 3; catechisings 25; public services, Sundays 24, total 24; Holy Communion, public 12, total 12.

Communicants—Number last reported 65; admitted by confirmation 3; total gain 3; died 1; removed without letter 1; total loss 2; net gain 1; present number total 66.

Congregation—Baptized persons connected with Parish, this includes all communicants and confirmed persons 79; confirmed persons connected with Parish 69; families 35; individuals not thus included 20; whole number of individuals 98; number sittings in Church 250; number free sittings 250.

Rector's Salary—As pledged from this congregation $250.00; from Diocesan Missions $250.00; as pledged from other congregations $300.00; total $800.00.

Organizations—Sunday School, officers and teachers, male 4, female 8, total 12; pupils, male 28, female 32, total 60; Advent offering $28.42; Lenten offering $15.18, total Sunday School offerings $43.60; Woman's Auxiliary, members 12.

Property—Church, brick, insurance $1,500, value $2,500; rectory, wood, insurance $250.00, value $400.00, total value, insurance $1,750; value $2,900.

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Receipts—For all purposes—Cash on hand, per last report $380.00; collections in church $68.72; money borrowed $39.41; Sunday School $43.60; Woman's Auxiliary, money $25.75; Woman's Auxiliary, boxes, value $10.00;

income from other sources $63.00, total receipts for all purposes $630.48.

Disbursements (1) *For current expenses*—Salary of Rector $250.00; other salaries $20.00; insurance $4.50; ordinary repairs $42.53; interest on debt $1.19; payment on debts contracted for current expenses $15.00; other current expenses $46.87; other objects $108.00, total for current expenses $488.42.

Disbursements—Contributions (1) *For objects in the Parish*—Communion Alms $19.90, total contributions for objects in the Parish $19.90. *Contributions* (2) *For objects in the Diocese*—Salary of Bishops $50.00; Diocesan Missions $25.00; Convocation Missions $13.00; Sheltering Arms Hospital $5.00; other objects, Woman's Auxiliary for work in the Diocese $15.75; total contributions for objects in the Diocese $108.75. *Contributions* (3) *For objects without the Diocese*—Domestic Missions General $13.41, total Domestic Missions $13.41; total contributions for objects without the Diocese $13.41.

Statement—Current expenses raised by congregation as above $488.42; for objects in the Parish $19.90; for objects in the Diocese $108.75; for objects without the Diocese $13.41, total of contributions $142.06; all money raised by the congregation for current expenses and for contributions $630.48.

PAROCHIAL REPORT.

Rev. PARIS BECKER STAUFFER, address Harper's Ferry. St. John's Mission, Harpers Ferry, Jefferson county; date of organization 1857; present minister took charge Oct. 1, 1903.

Church Officers—Treasurer, Mr. Charles Cavalier, address Harpers Ferry; Supt. of Sun. Schools, Mr. Barnabas Bryan, Hall Town; S. S. Sec. & Treas., Mrs. Edwood Fossett; Lay Reader, Mr. Barnabas Bryan.

Official Acts—Baptisms, infants 5, total 5; presented for confirmation since last report 3; catechisings monthly; public services, Sundays 51, other days 58, total 109; Holy Communion, public 15, total 15.

Communicants—Number last reported 32; admitted by confirmation 2; total gain 2; removed without letter 2; total loss 2; present number total 32.

Congregation—Confirmed persons connected with Parish 32; families 15; number sittings in church 150; number free sittings all.

Rector's Salary—As pledged from this congregation $125.00; from Diocesan Missions $425.00; as pledged from other congregations $150.00; from Convocation Missions $75.00.

Organizations—Sunday School, officers and teachers, male 1, female 4, total 5; pupils, male 31, female 40, total 71. *Other Organizations*—The Guild, composed of all the Ladies of the Mission.

Property—Church, frame, insurance $1,200, value $2,000; rectory, frame, insurance $800.00, value $1,000; total value, insurance $2,000; value $3,000. *Indebtedness*—Total indebtedness $99.90; money raised from outside sources, it is hard to determine for what objects used for improvements, but not current expenses. All but current expenses is largely made up of funds received from outside.

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Receipts—For all purposes—Cash on hand, per last report $109.32; pledges and subscriptions, &c., $172.79; money borrowed $99.90; Guilds, or other Societies, contributions from without $278.95; total receipts for all purposes $660.96.

Disbursements (1) *For current expenses*—Salary of Rector $125.00; other salaries $15.00; other current expenses $32.79; total for current expenses $172.79.

Disbursements—Contributions (1) *For objects in the Parish*—Building and extraordinary repairs and improvements $378.95. *Contributions* (2) *For objects in the Diocese*—Salary of Bishops $20.00; permanent fund $1.47; Diocesan Missions $38.95; Convocation Missions $4.50; Widows and Orphans, Aged and Disabled Clergy Fund $5.31; Religious and Theological Education $3.13; Sheltering Arms Hospital $4.62; total contributions for objects in the Diocese $77.98. *Contributions* (3) *For objects without the Diocese*—Total Domestic Missions $12.00; total Foreign Missions $11.97; General Clergy Relief Fund $5.77; Bible and Prayer Book Society $1.50, total contributions for objects without the Diocese $31.24.

Statement—Current expenses raised by congregation as above $172.79; for objects in the Parish $378.95; for objects in the Diocese $77.98; for objects without the Diocese $31.24; total of contributions $488.17; all money raised by the congregation for current expenses and for contributions $660.96.

Remarks—We have put a new roof on the church, enlarged the vestry room so that it is now 20x13 (feet). Friends not connected with the church assisted. Mr. Brady paid for stones, hauling, &c., Mr. Bracked gave stone, Dr. Phillips gave lime, Mrs. Hallan gave 36 chairs for infants. Vestry room is used for infants' Sunday School. Chancel has been enlarged, a Memorial rail, lecture and prayer desk made in oak have been given. Much of the money raised for the repair and improvements has been received through outside sources. The ladies by their earnestness and labor used every means to accomplish their purpose.

PAROCHIAL REPORT.

Rev. PARIS BECKER STAUFFER, address Harpers Ferry. St. John's Church, Ripon, Jefferson county; present minister took charge Nov. 1, 1904.

Church Officers—Church Wardens, Dr. Howard Osborn, Mr. F. C. La Rue; other vestrymen, Mr. Lafayette Sommers, Mr. John Kanode, Mr. John Page, Mr. Lee Hulver; registrar, Mr. Lafayette Sommers; treasurer, Dr. Howard Osborn; Supt. of Sun. Schools, Dr. Howard Osborn, Ripon; S. S. Sec. & Treas., Dr. Howard Osborn.

Official Acts—Baptisms, infants 5, total 5; public services, Sundays 47, other days 15, total 62; Holy Communion, public 13, total 13.

Communicants—Number last reported 29; removed without letter 4; total loss 4; present number total 25.

Congregation—Baptized persons connected with Parish, this includes all communicants and confirmed persons, 55; confirmed persons connected with Parish 22; families 24; number free sittings in church all.

Rector's Salary—As pledged from this congregation $150.00; from Diocesan Missions $425.00; as pledged from other congregations $125.00; from Convocation Missions $50.00.

Organizations—Sunday School, officers and teachers, male 3, female 4, total 7; pupils, male 10, female 20, total 30; Woman's Auxiliary, members 8. *Other Organizations*—Ladies Aid, composed of all ladies of Mission.

Property—Church, brick, insurance $2,000, value $3,000; total value $3,000.

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Receipts—For all purposes—Pledges and subscriptions, &c., $230.65; Woman's Auxiliary, money $23.79; Guilds, or other Societies $63.25; total receipts for all purposes $317.69.

Disbursements (1) *For current expenses*—Salary of Rector $150.00; other salaries $38.00; other current expenses $4.00, total for current expenses $192.00.

Disbursements—Contributions (1) *For objects in the Parish*—Maintaining Sunday Schools $10.00; other objects, Ladies Aid spent on Parish improvements $60.10; total contributions for objects in the Parish $70.10. *Contributions* (2) *For objects in the Diocese*—Salary of Bishops $20.00; Diocesan Missions $19.47; Widows and Orphans, Aged and Disabled Clergy Fund $3.12; Sheltering Arms Hospital $3.00; total contributions for objects in the Diocese $45.59. *Contributions* (3) *For objects without the Diocese*—Total Domestic Missions $5.00; total Foreign Missions $5.00; total contributions for objects without the Diocese $10.00.

Statement—Current expenses raised by congregation as above $192.00; for objects in the Parish $70.10; for objects in the Diocese $45.59; for objects without the Diocese $10.00; total of contributions $125.69; all money raised by the congregation for current expenses and for contributions $317.69.

Remarks—An iron fence has been bought by the Ladies Aid. It will replace the old wood fence in front of the church.

PAROCHIAL REPORT.

Rev. JOHN WARNOCK, address 220 Randolph St., Charleston. St. Luke's Church, Charleston, Kanawha county.

Church Officers—Church Wardens, James D. Lucadoe, Geo. Grishaber; other vestrymen, Elijah Steen, Geo. Krauss, Cobert Lucadoe, Jas. Welton; registrar, Elijah Steen, address 311 Penn. Ave., Charleston; treasurer, Geo. Grishaber, address Washington St., Charleston; Supt. of Sun. Schools, Miss Williams; S. S. Sec. and Treas., Miss Beulah B. Payne; Lay Reader, J. D. Lucadoe.

Official Acts—Baptisms, infants 6, total 6; presented for confirmation since last report 6; marriages 2; burials 4; public services, Sundays 34, other days 20, total 54; Holy Communion, public 24, total 24.

Communicants—Number last reported 27; admitted by confirmation 8; total gain 8; transferred 3; removed without letter 4; total loss 7; net gain 1; present number total 28.

Congregation—Baptized persons connected with Parish, this includes all communicants and confirmed persons 71; confirmed persons connected with Parish 28; families 21; number sittings in church 100.

Rector's Salary—As pledged from this congregation $240.00.

Property—Church, frame, value $1,300; Rectory, frame, value $1,500; total value $2,800.

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Receipts—For all purposes—Pledges and subscriptions $105.65; collections in church $28.59; thank offerings $1.75; Sunday School $19.67; received on assessment $14.06; Guilds, or other Societies $122.42; total receipts for all purposes $292.14.

Disbursements (1) *For current expenses*—Salary of Rector $240.00; ordinary repairs $8.71; other current expenses, gas, $9.00; total for current expenses $257.71.

Disbursements—Contributions (1) *For objects in the Parish*—Maintaining Sunday Schools $11.68; total contributions for objects in the Parish $11.68. *Contributions* (2) *For objects in the Diocese*—Diocesan Missions, our assessment for 1905 and 1906, $16.00; Sheltering Arms Hospital $1.75; total contributions for objects in the Diocese $17.75.

Statement—Current expenses raised by congregation as above $292.14; for objects in the Parish $269.39; for objects in the Diocese $17.75; total of contributions $287.14; cash on hand $5.00.

PAROCHIAL REPORT.

Rev. JOHN WARNOCK, address Charleston. St. Matthews Church, South Charleston, Kanawha county; date of organization April, 1897; present minister took charge May 1st., 1903.

Church Officers—Church Wardens, J. D. Lucadoe, Comyn Lewis; other vestryman, Geo. Grishaber; treasurer, Comyn Lewis, address Charleston, R. F. D. No. 1; Supt. of Sun. Schools, Comyn Lewis.

Official Acts—Baptisms, infants 6; presented for confirmation since last report 8; burials 7; public services, Sundays 34, other days 25, total 59; Holy Communion, public 30, private 1, total 31.

Communicants—Number last reported 45; admitted by confirmation 8; total gain 8; died 1; transferred 2; removed without letter 2; lapsed 6; not otherwise accounted for 5; total loss 16; present number total 36.

Congregation—Baptized persons connected with Parish, this includes all communicants and confirmed persons 146; confirmed persons connected with Parish 41; families 30; number free sittings 200.

Rector's Salary—As pledged from this congregation $200.00.

Property—Church, stone, insurance $500.00, value $5,000; chapel, St. Andrews, log, insurance $300.00, value $650.00; total value $5,650. *Indebtedness*—Money raised from outside sources $63.44; for what objects used, Rector's salary.

FINANCIAL REPORT.

Receipts—For all purposes—Cash on hand, per last report $15.71; pledges and subscriptions $64.57; Diocesan Mission collections $2.66; collections in church $28.12; Thanksgiving for Hospital 75 cents; Christmas for General Missions 50 cents; Sunday School $24.57; sale of cemetery lot and collected for fence $29.50; contributions from festival $25.00; income from other sources $63.44; total receipts for all purposes $254.82.

Disbursements (1) *For current expenses*—Salary of Rector $216.67; ordinary repairs to fence $12.43; other current expenses 90 cents; Sunday School $1.95; total for current expenses $231.95.

Disbursements—Contributions (2) *For objects in the Diocese*—Salary of Bishops $7.00; Diocesan Missions $8.00; Sheltering Arms Hospital 75 cents; Bishop's Special Fund $15.75; other objects, these amounts have been remitted to the proper treasurers. *Contributions* (3) *For objects without the Diocese*—Foreign Missions General $7.12; total Foreign Missions $7.12.

Statement—For objects in the Parish $171.76; for objects in the Diocese $3.41; for objects without the Diocese 50 cents.

Remarks—Since last report monthly services and S. S. have been started at Kanawha City. Five have been confirmed and 9 baptized. Occasional services are held at Dry Branch. At St. Andrews, Davis Creek, a S. S is held, and also an occasion service.

PAROCHIAL REPORT.

Rev. JOHN WARNOCK, address 220 Randolph St., Charleston, W. Va. St. Mark's Church, St. Albans, Kanawha county; present minister took charge May 1st, 1903.

Church Officers—Church Wardens, A. W. Howard, E. W. Chandler; other vestrymen, W. H. Barnett, Luke Frasher, Thos. H. Mohler; registrar, Thos. H. Mohler, address St. Albans, W. Va.; treasurer, Thos. H. Mohler, address St. Albans, W. Va.; Supt. of Sun. Schools, E. W. Chandler, St. Albans, W. Va.; S. S. Sec. and Treas., Thos. H. Mohler; Lay Reader, Mr. E. W. Chandler.

Official Acts—Baptisms, infants 2, total 2; presented for confirmation since last report 2; burials 3; catechisings, monthly; public services, Sundays 33; Holy Communion, public 10.

Communicants—Number last reported 30; admitted by confirmation 2; total gain 2; died 2; removed without letter 2; not otherwise accounted for 5; total loss 9; net loss 7; present number total 23.

Congregation—Confirmed persons connected with Parish 23; families 30.

Rector's Salary—As pledged from this congrgation $200.00.

Organizations—Sunday School, officers and teachers, male 3, female 4, total 7; pupils, male 17, female 16, total 33; Advent offering $6.46; Lenten offering $9.38; other offerings $33.62, total Sunday Schools offerings $49.46.

Property—Church, brick, insurance none, value $2,000; Rectory, frame, insurance $1,000, value $2,500; Sexton's House, frame, insurance none, value $200.00; total value $4,700. *Indebtedness*—On Rectory $69.22, total indebtedness $69.22.

FINANCIAL REPORT.

Receipts—For all purposes—Cash on hand, per last report $17.33; pledges and subscriptions $210.50; collections in church $87.05; money borrowed $205.76; Sunday School $50.52; total receipts for all purposes $571.16.

Disbursements (1) *For current expenses*—Salary of Rector $200.00; Payment on debts contracted for current expenses $136.50; other current expenses $6.22; amount due on loan $69.22; cash on hand $37.56; total for current expenses $449.50

Disbursements—Contributions (1) *For objects in the Parish*—Maintaining Sunday Schools $49.46; total contributions for objects in the Parish $49.46. *Contributions* (2) *For objects in the Diocese*—Salary of Bishops $10.00; permanent fund $2.75; Diocesan Missions $10.75; Convocation Missions $2.00; Widows and Orphans, Aged and Disabled Clergy Fund $1.30; Religious and Theological Education 55 cents; Sheltering Arms Hospital $1.25; Theological Seminary 15 cents; Mission expense $14.56; total contributions for objects in the Diocese $43.31. *Contributions* (3) *For objects without the Diocese*—Domestic Missions General $5.55; colored people 20 cents; Indians 10 cents; Deaf and Dumb 40 cents; total Domestic Missions $6.25; Foreign Missions General $5.15; for Mexico 35 cents; Brazil 25 cents; Cuba 30 cents; total Foreign Missions $6.05; specials, boxes, &c., Easter offerings $9.38; American Church Building Fund

30 cents; General Clergy Relief Fund 30 cents; Bible and Prayer Book Society 15 cents; Advent offerings $6.46; total contributions for objects without the Diocese $28.89.

Statement—Current expenses raised by congregation as above $230.00; for objects in the Parish $200.00; for objects in the Diocese $20.00; for objects without the Diocese $10.00; total of contributions $230.00.

Remarks—We have found that we do not get enough money from the envelope system to meet assessments; consequently we have been forced to take most of the incidental expense collections to make it up. The growth of church membership is very slow; and there is not much interest manifested. Older members die and few new ones take their places. However, the congregations are larger than in many years.

PAROCHIAL REPORT.

Rev. A. J. WILLIS, address Kearneysville, W. Va. Grace Church, Nelson Parish, Middleway, Jefferson county; date of organization 1888; present minister took charge Nov. 1st., 1890.

Church Officers—Church Warden, Col. J. J. Grantham; other vestrymen, James Grantham, Wm. O. McCoughtry, R. U. Smith; registrar, James Grantham, address Kearneysville, W. Va.; treasurer, James Grantham, address Kearneysville, W. Va., R. No. 6; Supt. of Sun. Schools, June Locks, Kearneysville, R. No. 6.

Official Acts—Marriages 2; burials 8; public services, Sundays 52, other days 8, total 60; Holy Communion, public 12, total 12.

Communicants—Number last reported 45; died 1; total loss 1; net loss 1; present number total 44.

Congregation—Baptized persons connected with Parish, this includes all communicants and confirmed persons 50; confirmed persons connected with Parish 50; families 20; individuals not thus included 200; whole number of individuals 250; number sittings in church 200; number free sittings 200.

Rector's Salary—As pledged from this congregation $155.00; from Diocesan Missions $125.00; as pledged from other congregations $420.00; from Convocation Missions $100.00, total $800.00.

Organizations—Sunday School, officers and teachers, male 2, female 2, total 4; pupils, male 8, female 12, total 20; Advent offering $1.38; Lenten offering $2.60; other offerings $2.30, total Sunday School offerings $6.28. *Other Organizations*—Rector's Aid, members 10; Parish Guilds, embracing members from the other churches in the Parish.

Property—Church, brick, insurance $2,000, value $2,500; Rectory, frame and brick, insurance $1,500, value $2,000; 7 acres of land, value $350.00; total value $4,850.

FINANCIAL REPORT.

Receipts—For all purposes—Cash on hand per last report $29.17; pledges and subscriptions $155.00; collections in church $162.47; Sunday School $6.28; income from other sources $15.00; total receipts for all purposes $367.92.

Disbursements (1) *For current expenses*—Salary of Rector $155.00; other salaries $31.50; ordinary repairs $28.50; other current expenses $25.41; total for current expenses $240.41.

Disbursements—Contributions (1) *For objects in the Parish*—Maintaining Sunday Schools $9.29; total contributions for objects in the Parish $9.29. *Contributions* (2) *For objects in the Diocese*—Salary of Bishops $30.00; Diocesan Missions $16.58; Convocation Missions $27.73; Widows and Orphans, Aged and Disabled Clergy Fund $1.58; Sheltering Arms Hospital $8.00; total contributions for objects in the Diocese $83.89. *Contributions* (3) *For objects without the Diocese*—Domestic Missions General $5.83; total Domestic Missions $5.83; Foreign Missions General $4.00; Brazil $11.00; total Foreign Missions $15.00; other objects, Edmund Dandridge's work in Alexandria, Va., $3.35; San Francisco sufferers $1.24; total contributions for objects without the Diocese $25.52.

Statement—Current expenses raised by congregation as above $240.41; for objects in the Parish $9.29; for objects in the Diocese $85.89; for objects without the Diocese $25.52; total of contributions $118.70; all money raised by the congregation for current expenses and for contributions $359.11; cash on hand $8.81.

Remarks—The Parish Guild referred to above is composed of members from the three churches in the Parish, and work to keep up repairs at Rectory. They raise about $40.00 a year.

PAROCHIAL REPORT.

Rev. A. J. WILLIS, address Kearneysville, W. Va. St. Bartholomews Church, Nelson Parish, Lee Town, Jefferson county; date of organization 1888; present minister took charge Nov. 1st, 1890.

Church Officers—Church Wardens, J. H. Strider, Chas. E. Jones; other vestrymen, C. C. Lucas, James Trussell; registrar, J. H. Strider, address Lee Town; treasurer, J. H. Strider, address Lee Town.

Official Acts—Baptisms, infants 3, total 3; marriages 1; public services, Sundays 36, other days 7, total 43; Holy Communion, public 6, total 6.

Communicants—Number last reported 38; present number total 38.

Congregation—Baptized persons connected with Parish, this includes all communicants and confirmed persons 41; confirmed persons connected with Parish 38; families 12; individuals not thus included 100; whole

number of individuals 150; number sittings in church 200; number free sittings 200.

Rector's Salary—As pledged from this congregation $185.00; from Diocesan Missions $125.00; as pledged from other congregations $390.00; from Convocation Missions $100.00; total $800.00.

Property—Church, frame, insurance $1,000, value $1,800; total value $1,800.

FINANCIAL REPORT.

Receipts—For all purposes—Cash on hand, per last report $5.16; pledges and subscriptions $185.00; collections in church $194.75; total receipts for all purposes $384.77.

Disbursements (1) *For current expenses*—Salary of Rector $185.00; other salaries $19.00; other current expenses $6.07; total for current expenses $210.07.

Disbursements—Contributions (1) *For objects in the Parish*—Communion Alms, used for Missions. *Contributions* (2) *For objects in the Diocese*—Salary of Bishops $30.00; Diocesan Missions $38.22; Convocation Missions $17.01; Widows and Orphans, Aged and Disabled Clergy Fund $8.60; Sheltering Arms Hospital $5.35; other objects, St. Margaret's Chapel Fairview Mission $21.79; total contributions for objects in the Diocese $120.97. *Contributions* (3) *For objects without the Diocese*—Domestic Missions General $20.00; total Domestic Missions $20.00; Foreign Missions General $16.19, total Foreign Missions $16.19; other objects, Ed. Dandridge's work in Alexandria, Va., $7.34; San Francisco sufferers $4.57, total contributions for objects without the Diocese $48.10.

Statement—Current expenses raised by congregation as above $210.07; for objects in the Diocese $120.97; for objects without the Diocese $48.10, total of contributions $169.07; all money raised by the congregation for current expenses and for contributions $379.14; cash on hand $5.63.

Remarks—The Ladies' Aid Society of this church does general church work.

PAROCHIAL REPORT.

Rev. A. J. WILLIS, address Kearneysville, W. Va., R. No. 6. Holy Spirit Church, Nelson Parish, Summit Point, Jefferson county; date of organization 1888; present minister took charge Nov. 1st., 1890.

Church Officers—Church Wardens, A. P. Thomson, Geo. C. Whiting; other vestrymen, N. H. Willis, R. O. Allen; registrar, N. H. Willis, address Summit Point; treasurer, R. O. Allen, Summit Point.

Official Acts—Baptisms, infants 1, total 1; marriages 1; burials 2; public services, Sundays 52, other days 8, total 60; Holy Communion, public 12, total 12.

Communicants—Number last reported 47; present number total 47.

Congregation—Baptized persons connected with Parish, this includes all communicants and confirmed persons 60; confirmed persons connected with Parish 47; families 16; whole number of individuals 200; number sittings in church 200; number free sittings 250.

Rector's Salary—As pledged from this congregation $235.00; from Diocesan Missions $125.00; as pledged from other congregations $340.00; from Convocation Missions $100.00, total $800.00.

Property—Church, stone, insurance $2,000, value $4,000; total value $4,000.

FINANCIAL REPORT.

Receipts—For all purposes—Pledges and subscriptions $235.00; collections in church $143.48, total receipts for all purposes $378.48.

Disbursements (1) *For current expenses*—Salary of Rector $235.00; other salaries $24.00; other current expenses $29.37, total for current expenses $288.37.

Disbursements—Contributions (2) *For objects in the Diocese*—Salary of Bishops $30.00; Diocesan Missions $20.68; Convocation Missions $6.78; Widows and Orphans, Aged and Disabled Clergy Fund $3.14; Sheltering Arms Hospital $6.65; other objects, St. Margaret's Chapel, Fairview Mission $3.21; total contributions for objects in the Diocese $70.46. *Contributions* (3) *For objects without the Diocese*—Domestic Missions General $6.30, total Domestic Missions $6.30; Foreign Missions General $6.00; Cuba $6.00; Ed. Dandridge's work in Alexandria, Va., $2.52; San Francisco sufferers $4.83, total contributions for objects without the Diocese $19.65.

Statement—Current expenses raised by congregation as above $288.37; for objects in the Diocese $70.46; for objects without the Diocese $19.65, total of contributions $90.11; cash on hand $378.48.

PAROCHIAL REPORT.

Rev. A. J. WILLIS, address Kearneysville. St. Margaret's Chapel, Fairview Mission, Berkeley.

Official Acts—Baptisms, infants 5, adults 5, total 10; presented for confirmation since last report 8; public services, Sundays 24, other days 12, total 36; Holy Communion, public 1, total 1.

Communicants—Admitted by confirmation 8; total gain 8; net gain 8; present number total 8.

Congregation—Baptized persons connected with Parish, this includes all communicants and confirmed persons 20; confirmed persons connected with Parish 8; families 20; individuals not thus included 80; whole num-

ber of individuals 108; number sittings in church 120; number free sittings 120.

Organizations—Sunday School, officers and teachers, male 1, female 3, total 4; pupils, male 25, female 30, total 55, total Sunday School offerings $32.44.

Property—Church, frame, insurance $450.00, value $700.00; total value $700.00. *Indebtedness*—On Chapel $75.00, total indebtedness $75.00; money raised from outside sources $642.06; for what objects used, for building Chapel.

FINANCIAL REPORT.

Remarks—This is a new Mission. The Chapel has been built within the last year at a cost of about $650.00. The people have contributed of their labor. Much of the money has been given by the parishes within the bounds of the Eastern Convocations. I have not as yet called on the people for contributions to Diocese objects, but expect to do so next year. The offerings from the Sunday School and congregations have been used for expenses.

Fairmont, W. Va., June 4th, 1906.

Dear Bishop:—As Missionary in the Diocese I have visited and ministered to the following places:

St. Luke's, Wheeling, services twice; Mannington, services twice, baptized 1 child; Grafton, service; Piedmont, service; Parkersburg, Good Shepherd, 3 services; Parkersburg, Trinity, 1 service; Fairmont, 15 services; Clarksburg, 3 services; Morgantown, 2 services.

I have also given services in other Dioceses, Md., Va., S. Va., and N. J.

C. C. PENNICK, *Missionary.*

APPENDIX C.

Report of Committee on Assessment for the Year, May 1, 1906 to April 30, 1907.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON ASSESSMENTS, AT CHARLES TOWN, JUNE 6, 1906.

Name of Parish.	*Dio. Miss.*	*Epis. & Cont. Fund.*
Alderson	$ 6 00	$ 6 00
Ansted	20 00	20 00
Beckley	6 00	6 00
Beury	5 00	5 00
Berkeley Springs	25 00	30 00
Bluefield	40 00	30 00
Blue Ridge, St. Andrew's	3 00	2 00
Bramwell	30 00	30 00
Brooke County, St. John's	5 00	5 00
Bruce Chapel	12 00	12 00
Buckhannon	10 00	10 00
Bunker Hill	5 00	5 00
Charles Town, Zion	300 00	425 00
Charles Town, St. Phillip's	10 00	5 00
Charleston, St. John's	200 00	275 00
Charleston, St. Luke's	8 00	7 00
Charleston, St. Matthew's	8 00	7 00
Chester	10 00	4 00
Clarksburg	125 00	125 00
Cresaps	5 00	5 00
Davis	8 00	8 00
Duffields	4 00	4 00
Elkins	10 00	10 00
Fairmont	75 00	100 00
Fayetteville	5 00	5 00
Ferris	5 00	5 00
Fort Spring	5 00	5 00
Glen Jean	10 00	10 00
Grafton	15 00	15 00
Harpers Ferry	20 00	20 00
Hedgesville	25 00	50 00
Hinton	30 00	20 00
Huntington	100 00	100 00
Kanawha Missions, Carbon		
Kanawha Missions, Dubree		
Kanawha Missions, East Bank	8 00	10 00
Kanawha Missions, Paint Creek		
Kanawha Missions, Standard		
Kanawha Missions, Wake Forest		

Kenova	5 00	5 00
Lewisburg	7 00	10 00
Liverpool	3 00	2 00
Mannington	10 00	10 00
Martinsburg	75 00	100 00
McDowell: Welch	20 00	20 00
Eckman		
Montgomery	20 00	15 00
Moorefield	10 00	10 00
Morgantown	50 00	50 00
Moundsville	40 00	60 00
Mt. Carbon	5 00	5 00
Summit Point		
Nelson Parish: Lee Town	75 00	100 00
Middleway		
New Martinsville	40 00	40 00
Nuttallburg	5 00	10 00
Page	5 00	5 00
Parkersburg, Trinity	350 00	525 00
Parkersburg, Good Shepherd	20 00	5 00
Parkersburg, St. Stephen	3 00	2 00
Point Pleasant	50 00	50 00
Powellton	20 00	20 00
Princeton	6 00	6 00
Ravenswood	10 00	10 00
Ripley	15 00	15 00
Ripon	10 00	20 00
Romney	16 00	16 00
Ronceverte	8 00	8 00
Shepherdstown	75 00	75 00
Sistersville	40 00	40 00
Smithfield	5 00	5 00
Spillman	10 00	10 00
Spruce	4 00	4 00
St. Albans	10 00	10 00
St. Marys	15 00	15 00
Sutton	10 00	10 00
Tavennersville	10 00	3 00
Union	35 00	35 00
Waverly	5 00	5 00
Welsburg	25 00	25 00
Weston	75 00	80 00
Wheeling, St. Matthew's	425 00	600 00
Wheeling, St. Luke's	175 00	175 00
Wheeling, St. Andrew's	20 00	10 00

Wheeling, St. Paul's	5 00	10 00
White Sulphur	10 00	10 00
Williamstown	15 00	15 00
Willow Island	5 00	5 00
	$3,005 00	$3,637 00

D. W. HOWARD.
S. S. MOORE.
J. S. GIBSON.
J. S. DOUGLAS.
A. G. GRINNAN.
G. W. EASTER.
R. M. BROWNE.
J. GASSMAN.
B. S. WASHINGTON.
L. E. SANDS.
PEEBLES TATUM.

APPENDIX D.

Tabulated Statement—Vital Statistics.

Tabulated Statement—Financial Statistics.

TABULATED STATEMENT—VITAL STATISTICS.

ALPHABETICAL CLERGY LIST.	PARISHES, MISSIONS AND STATIONS.	Baptisms.		Confirmations.	Marriages.	Burials.	Communicants.		Baptized Persons.	Families and Parts.	Number in Sunday Schools.	
		Infants.	Adults.				Last Reported.	Present Number.			Teachers.	Scholars.
REV. JOHN S. ALFRIEND	Zion Ch., Charles Town	10	1	17	5	17	344	350	500	200	14	82
MR. MAURICE CLARK	St. Andrews on Mountain	15	1	2	.....	2	29	31	31	55	7	75
	Christ Ch., Blue Ridge	1	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	5	5	12	2	40
	Harewood Mission	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	5	40
REV. MORTON A. BARNES	Christ Ch., Fairmont	8	3	22	2	7	138	160	225	85	10	50
REV. J. BRITTINGHAM	St. Lukes, Wheeling	15	3	16	10	17	260	250	310	200	11	99
REV. E. H. BROSIUS	Christ Ch., Bluefield	6	.....	8	2	1	109	109	190	69	4	27
	Heavenly Rest, Princeton	1	.....	.....	.....	.....	17	17	19	8	.....	.....
REV. C. M. CAMPBELL	*Christ Ch., Boone Co.	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	2	15	9	.....	.....
REV. WILSON PAGE CHRISMAN	Trinity, Moundsville	8	5	16	1	2	74	86	198	88	13	140
	Grace, Cresaps Valley	.....	.....	2	.....	.....	9	9	20	7	14	27
REV. GUY H. CROOK	*St. Pauls, Elm Grove	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	30	50	30	6	40
	*St. Andrews, Mannington	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	23	40	34	4	22
REV. T. J. OLIVER CURRAN	St. Andrews, Wheeling	7	14	11	5	3	89	99	275	72	10	158
REV. JOHN S. DOUGLAS	Trinity, Martinsburg	5	.....	7	3	9	175	170	295	120	14	85
	Christ Ch., Bunker Hill	.....	.....	1	.....	.....	8	12	20	6	.....	.....
REV. CREETUS A. DOWELL	St. Pauls, Sistersville	.....	2	8	2	2	59	65	93	34	8	57
	..... Pennsboro	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	5	5	15	6	.....	.....
	..... Cairo	4	.....	.....	1	1	13	11	17	5	.....	.....
REV. GEO. W. EASTER	All Saints, Union	1	1	3	3	1	35	37	72	26	5	43
	Messiah, Alderson	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	4	4	5	4	.....	.....

*Taken from last year's report.

TABULATED STATEMENT—VITAL STATISTICS—Continued.

ALPHABETICAL CLERGY LIST.	PARISHES, MISSIONS AND STATIONS.	Baptisms.		Confirmations.	Marriages.	Burials.	Communicants.		Baptized Persons.	Families and Parts.	Number in Sunday Schools.	
		Infants.	Adults.				Last Reported.	Present Number.			Teachers.	Scholars.
REV. JAMES LOGAN FISH	St. Barnabas, Davis	22	3	5		3	42	43	89	24	4	35
	Grace Ch., Elkins	1		5		1	34	34	83	33	3	25
	Trinity, Belington						6	3	7	3		
	Thomas				1		8	8	20	14		
	Parsons						7	12	28	14		
	Bayard								9	5		
REV. J. HOWARD GIBBONS	Christ Ch., Point Pleasant				3	6	62	59	164	53	3	24
	Bruce Chapel, Elwell	1				1	27	27	45	16	6	22
	Spillman	1		2		1	25	26	62	18	3	24
	Winfield					1		3				
REV. G. A. GIBBONS	St. Stephens, Romney		1	7		2	30	35	45	21	4	19
	Emmanuel, Moorefield	5	2	4		2	33	29	55	15	5	21
	Epiphany, Okonoko	3					10	8	12	4		
	Paw Paw	3					5	2	2	2		
	*Keyser							12	15	6		
REV. JOHN S. GIBSON	Trinity, Huntington	5	1	7	3	13	205	215	440	155	12	66
	Grace Ch., Kenova			1			11	5	10	6		
	St. Pauls, Williamson	1			2		10	7	20	7		
REV. ANDREW J. GRINNAN	St. Pauls, Weston	3	1		2	7	82	78	205	83	6	72
	St. Pauls Chapel						13	13	22	8	3	24
REV. DAVID W. HOWARD	St. Matthews, Wheeling	16	10	28	38	14	550	565	851	292	13	115
REV. JACOB A. HIATT	*Incarnation, Ronceverte							31	45	16	2	21
	*St. James, Lewisburg							26	44	15		
	*Grace, Clover Lick							5	12	4		
	*Holy Comforter, Fort Spring							8	11	4		
	*St. Thomas, White Sulphur							43	80	21	8	85
	*Marlinton							11	16	5		
	*Hillsboro							1	5	1		
	*Huntersville							4	4	1		
	*Anthony							1	5	1		

*Taken from last year's report.

REV. EDWARD D. IRVINE	Christ Ch., Wellsburg	2	1	10	4	3	54	67	86	33	5	40
	St. Johns, Brooke Co	1					24	24	35	18		
REV. PACA KENNEDA	Grace Ch., St. Marys				1	2	28	22	30	10	4	29
	Grace Ravenswood		2			1	20	16	30	9	5	26
	St. Johns, Ripley	1					34	34	50	15	3	36
	St. Johns, Willow Island						13	13	18	8		
	Messiah, Waverly	2	1				5	2	4	2		
	Whittle Chap., Liverpool	1				1		8	15	6		
REV. ARTHUR M. LEWIS	Redeemer, Ansted	3			2	4	38	33	75	15	6	60
	St. Davids, Powellton				2	3	41	26	46	15	7	63
	Calvary, Montgomery	3		1	1		24	20	71	20	5	45
	Emmanuel, Mt. Carbon						7	8	18	5		
	St. Titus, Nuttallburg	4					12	7	12	4		
	St. Marys, Ferris						4	3	6	3		
	St. James, Fayetteville							6	8	7		
	St. Pauls, Page						6	5	11	5		
	Wyndal						2	2	8	1		
REV. JOS. W. LIVINGSTON	St. Phillips, Charles Town	3	1	2		1	33	25	30	15	5	40
	Shepherdstown			3					7	5		
REV. JOHN TILTON MARLEY	Trinity Ch., Morgantown	11		1	1	1	86	87	112	36	6	44
REV. C. E. A. MARSHALL	Trinty, Shepherdstown	5	2		3	6	150	136	*277	*50	7	40
REV. P. N. MCDONALD	Good Shepherd, Paint Creek	1	2	2		10	13	17	28	23	3	31
	Carbon	4			2	1	8	6	18	12	4	32
	Wake Forest	3			1	1	8	10	19	19	3	40
	Standard	2	2	4		2		13	22	6	5	60
	East Bank						3	3	12	5		
	Dubree	3					12	13	40	26		
REV. W. HOWARD MEYERS	St. Johns, Sutton		1	2	3		10	6	28	10	3	30
	Transfiguration, Buckhannon					2	25	21	31	11	3	12
	Spruce Chapel, Upshur	5				1	10	8	26	8	4	22
	Gassaway						2	3	3	3		
	Other Missions						14	14	24	10		
REV. A. B. MITCHELL	Good Shepherd, Parkersburg	2	3	7	2	2	18	28	45	45	14	204
	Christ Mem., Williamstown						28	27	35	20	6	17
	Grace Chap., Newport						10	10	20	8	5	25
REV. C. HELY MOLONY	St. Anns, New Martinsville	5	2	7	3	3	40	51	78	36	9	34
	Smithfield							2	30	10		
REV. S. SCOLLAY MOORE, D. D.	Trinity, Parkersburg	11	1		40	22	317	304	550	250	15	117
	St. Stephens, "					1	8	7	12	6		

*Taken from last year's report.

TABULTATED STATEMENT—VITAL STATISTICS—Continued.

ALPHABETICAL CLERGY LIST.	PARISHES, MISSIONS AND STATIONS.	Baptisms.		Confirmations.	Marriages.	Burials.	Communicants.		Baptized Persons.	Families and Parts.	Number in Sunday Schools.	
		Infants.	Adults.				Last Reported.	Present Number.			Teachers.	Scholars.
REV. H. H. PHELPS	Holy Trinity, Bramwell	3	2	4	1	1	23	24	48	17	3	10
	Grace, Eckman						9	11	22	6		
	Welch	1			1		20	19	36	10		
	Crane Creek	4	1	2	1		4	10	29	8		
	Elkhorn	2					8	7	8	3		
	Gary	1						5	8	5		
	Panther							7	10	2		
	Rawl					1		1	4	1		
REV. JAMES F. PLUMMER	Christ, Clarksburg	9	4	10	7	7	125	114	250	113	6	63
REV. ROBT. DOUGLAS ROLLER, D.D.	St. Johns, Charleston	7	1	14	5	15	346	305	601	247	14	95
REV. CHAS. E. SHAW	St. Marks, Berkeley Springs	2	1	3	2	2	23	26	47	17	5	20
	Mt. Zion, Hedgesville	4		3	2	3	65	66	79	55	12	60
REV. PARIS BECKER STAUFFER	St. Johns, Harpers Ferry	5		3			32	32	32	15	5	40
	St. Johns, Ripon	5					29	25	55	24	7	30
REV. JOHN WARNOCK	St. Lukes, Charleston	6		6	2	4	27	28	71	21		
	St. Matthews, "	6		8		7	45	36	146	30		
	St. Marks, St. Albans	2		2		3	30	23	60	30	7	33
REV. A. J. WILLIS	Grace Ch., Middleway				2	8	45	44	50	20	4	20
	St. Bartholomews, Leetown	3			1		38	38	41	12		
	Holy Spirit, Summit	1			1	2	47	47	60	16		
	St. Margarets, Fairview	5	5	8			8	8	20	8	4	30
VACANT	*Ascension, Hinton							30	60	20	2	24
"	Glen Jean							9	25	20		
"	St. Matthias, Grafton							31	41	21	3	12
Scattered	Communicants							157				
TOTALS		280	80	†274	173	233	4,559	4,989	8,574	3,428	398	3022

*Taken from last year's report.
†The actual number confirmed by the Bishop was 351.

TABULATED STATEMENT—FINANCIAL STATISTICS.

ALPHABETICAL CLERGY LIST.	PARISHES, MISSIONS AND STATIONS.	DISBURSEMENTS.				Grand Total	Cash on Hand
		Current Expenses.	Contributions.				
			Parochial	Diocesan	Outside the Diocese		
REV. JOHN S. ALFRIEND	Zion Ch., Charles Town	$ 2,006.35	$ 1,140.35	$ 1,605 31	$ 704.03	$ 5,456.04	$ 71.99
MR. MAURICE CLARK	St. Andrews on Mountain	26.17	68.81	3.00	3.00	100.98	.....
	Christ Ch., Blue Ridge	.....	2.87	.....	.....	2.87	.....
	Harewood	7.00	4.06	.....	.....	11.06	.....
REV. MORTON A. BARNES	Christ Ch., Fairmont	2,373.16	69.05	233.42	441.52	3,117.15	253.30
REV. J. BRITTINGHAM	St. Lukes, Wheeling	3,040.67	630.25	603.46	426.84	4,701.22	289.74
REV. E. H. BROSIUS	Christ Ch , Bluefield	1,112.00	376.72	78.50	56.10	1,623.32	17.76
	Heavenly Rest, Princeton	141.83	.....	12.00	.....	153.83	.....
REV. WILSON PAGE CHRISMAN	Trinity. Moundsville	1,792.44	134.71	182.89	136.08	2,246.12	351.69
	Grace, Cresaps Valley	3.05	62.16	16.00	2.28	83.49	3.42
REV. T. J. OLIVER CURRAN	St. Andrews, Wheeling.	1,856.23	138.84	71.00	15.95	2.082.02	2,479.08
REV. JOHN S. DOUGLAS	Trinity, Martinsburg	1,937.04	1,331.35	500.07	342.35	4,110.81	463.33
	Christ Ch., Bunker Hill	39.35	1.77	13.21	1.97	56.30	.....
REV. CREETUS A. DOWELL	St. Paul, Sistersville	1,451.67	132.99	122.01	47.16	1,753.83	30.86
	..... Pennsboro	80.50	.....	.....	.....	80.50	.....
	.....Cairo	30.30	.....	.....	.....	30.30	.....
REV. GEO. W. EASTER	All Saints, Union	441.32	12.20	194.44	110.18	761.14	136.88
	Messiah, Alderson	8.10	.....	6 31	2.10	16.51	.....
REV. JAMES LOGAN FISH	St. Barnabas, Davis	622.95	146.42	24.00	10.00	803.37	1.00
	Grace Ch., Elkins	427.74	70.07	27.00	10.00	534.81	7.81
	.....Thomas	5.00	.....	.....	.....	5.00	.....
	.....Parsons	6.00	.....	.....	.....	6.00	.....
	..... Bayard	50.00	.....	.....	.....	50.00	.....
REV. J. HOWARD GIBBONS	Christ Ch., Point Pleasant	539.65	267.36	152.83	81.80	1,041.64	981.98
	Bruce Chapel, Elwell	150.00	12.82	28.00	14.53	205.35	6.47
	Spillman Chapel	73.50	32.22	32.00	17.13	144.85	7.48

TABULATED STATEMENT—FINANCIAL STATISTICS—Continued.

ALPHABETICAL CLERGY LIST.	PARISHES, MISSIONS AND STATIONS.	DISBURSEMENTS. Current Expenses.	Contributions. Parochial	Contributions. Diocesan	Contributions. Outside the Diocese	Grand Total	Cash on Hand
Rev. G. A. Gibbons	St. Stephens, Romney	$ 223.17	$ 134.38	$ 116.00	$ 65.30	$ 538.85	$ 34.10
	Emmanuel, Moorefield	235.40	65.00	75.70	20.00	396.10	2.75
	Epiphany, Okonoko	27.00	.....	24.00	.....	51.00	.....
	Paw Paw	19.25	.....	6.16	.....	25.41	.....
Ren. John S. Gibson	Trinity, Huntington	2,431.54	495.95	470.85	153.44	3,551.78	11.24
	Grace, Kenova	179.85	.....	19.10	4.15	203.10	.....
	St. Pauls, Williamson	134.00	.....	1.50	1.00	136.50	.....
Rev. Andrew G. Grinnan	St. Pauls, Weston	1,068.72	573.72	244.31	104.98	1,991.73	417.34
	St. Pauls Chapel	62.05	5.00	6.93	9.74	83.72	8.64
Rev. David W. Howard	St. Matthews, Wheeling	8,493.46	1,224.64	1,978.89	747.21	12,444.20	.....
Rev. Edward D. Irvine	Christ Ch., Wellsburg	571.87	290.47	195.50	92.64	1,150.48	134.95
	St. Johns, Brooke Co	69.92	.....	5.00	.50	75.42	.....
Rev. Paca Kennedy	Grace, St. Marys	305.00	111.90	51.40	32.20	500.50	.....
	Grace, Ravenswood	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
	St. Johns, Ripley	144.82	.....	32.00	15.00	191.82	4.34
	St. Johns, Willow Island	56.00	.....	33.00	5.00	94.00	.....
	Messiah, Waverly	71.40	19.00	5.79	3.00	99.19	.....
	Whittle Chapel, Liverpool	.....	.....	.71	4.39	5.10	.....
Rev. Arthur M. Lewis	Ch. of Redeemer, Ansted	326.56	45.58	50.57	39.17	461.88	30.51
	St. Davids, Powellton	478 48	36.04	45.68	16.19	576.39	40.38
	Calvary, Montgomery	462.19	140.32	137.00	26.35	765.86	61.19
	Emmanuel, Mt. Carbon	48.10	.....	10.00	3.00	61.10	.....
	St. Titus, Nuttallburg	50.00	.....	10.00	.....	60.00	.....
	St. Marys, Ferris	47.40	.....	10.00	.....	57.40	.....
	St. James, Fayetteville	4.25	.....	6.80	.....	11.05	.....
	St. Pauls, Page	7.00	.....	5.75	.....	12.75	.....
	Wyndal	.....	.....	2.60	.....	2.60	.....
Rev. Jos. W. Livingston	St. Philips, Charles Town	.....	60.00	10.00	.....	70.00	.....
	Shepherdstown	20.00	.....	.....	.....	20.00	.....

REV. JOHN TILTON MARLEY....	Trinity, Morgantown...	1,970.41	815.10	125.90	55.00	2,966.41	16.69
REV. C. E. A. MARSHALL.....	Trinity, Shepherdstown.....	857.27	95.07	185.80	86.27	1,224.41	56.25
REV. P. N. MCDONALD.....	Good Shepherd, Paint Creek. ...	95.24	288.93	9.92	12.24	406.33	46.27
	.....Carbon.....	78.79	....	104.63	1.50	184.92	7.37
	.....Wake Forest.....	37.50	37.00	4.93	9.05	88.48	5.66
	.....Standard.....	60.00	10.00	3.24	7.62	80.86	118.26
	.....East Bank.....	58.00	4.00	3.15	1.38	66.53	3.18
	.....Dubree.....	31.86	.....	7.21	7.52	46.59	.....
REV. W. HOWARD MEYERS.....	St. Johns, Sutton.....	400.00	59.13	38.06	10.00	507.19	96.25
	Transfiguration, Buckhannon....	224.55	149.70	30.50	10.00	414.75	37.00
	.....Spruce Chapel.....	31.00	19.75	8.00	4.00	62.75	2.00
	... .Gassaway.....	175.00	.....	.....	.....	175.00	.....
	.....Other Missions.....	50.00	.....	.....	.....	50.00	....
REV. A. B. MITCHELL.....	Good Shepherd, Parkersburg....	1,366.43	285.26	320.88	277.77	2,250.34	79.89
	Christ Memorial, Williamstown,	135.40	62 18	48.14	30.02	275.74	43.56
	Grace Chapel, Newport.....	20.00	35.00	17.50	.....	72.50	213.88
REV. C. HELY MOLONY.....	St. Annes, New Martinsville....	997.79	1,107.29	127.21	26.56	2,258.85	.....
REV. S. SCOLLAY MOORE, D, D.	Trinity, Parkersburg.....	2,973.55	843.84	1,829.34	361.49	6,008.22	.....
	St. Stephen, "	55.67	.....	1.50	1.50	68.67	.....
REV. H. H. PHELPS..... .	Holy Trinity, Bramwell.....	1,351.94	210.00	57.37	48.83	1,668.14	51.90
	Grace, Eckman.....	173.20	.....	16.50	8.00	197.70	.....
	.....Welch....	146.50	6.50	.50	.....	153.50	24.43
	..... Crane Creek.....	38.25	.....	.....	.....	38.25	.....
	....Elkhorn.....	... .	15.00	.....	.....	15.00	....
	.....Gary..... . .	67.50	.....	13.50	4.00	85.00	16.85
	..... Panther.....	15.80	....	.....	....	15.80	.....
	..... . Rawl	35.00	....	.....	.....	35.00	.....
REV. JAMES F. PLUMMER.....	Christ, Clarksburg.....	2,596.74	53.00	402.88	314.49	3,367.11	.....'...
REV. R. DOUGLAS ROLLER, D. D.	St. Johns, Charleston.....	3,412.70	2,744.50	833.78	507.64	7,498.62	1,527.44
REV. CHAS. E. SHAW.....	St. Marks, Berkeley Springs ...	451.62	18.85	109.43	18.29	598.19	17.25
	Mt, Zion, Hedgesville.....	488.42	19.90	108.75	13.41	630.48	. .....
REV. PARIS BECKER STAUFFER	St. Johns, Harpers Ferry.....	172.79	378.95	77.98	31.24	660.96	....
	St. Johns, Ripon.....	192.00	70.10	45.59	10.00	317.69	.....
REV. JOHN WARNOCK.....	St. Lukes, Charleston.....	257.71	11.68	17.75	.....	287.14	5.00
	St. Matthews, Charleston.....	231.95	.....	15.75	7.12	254.82	....
	St. Marks, St. Albans.....	342.72	49.46	43.31	28.89	464.38	37.56
REV. A. J. WILLIS.	Grace, Middleway.....	240.41	9.29	83.89	25.52	359.11	8.81
	St. Bartholomews, Leetown.....	210.07	....	120.97	48.10	379.14	5.63
	Holy Spirit, Summit....	288.37	.....	70.46	19.65	378.48	.....
TOTALS...	....	$ 54,101.60	$ 15,239.50	$ 12,235.01	$ 5,753.38	$ 87,429.49	$ 8,097.36

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PARKERSBURG, W. VA.

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The Bishop Coadjutor, (*ex-officio*)

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DIOCESE OF WEST VIRGINIA.

MAY 24, 1905.

Rt. Rev. Geo. W. Peterkin, D. D. LL. D. Bishop (1878) *Parkersburg, W. Va*

Rt. Rev. W. Loyall Gravatt, D. D. (1893) Bishop Coadjutor (1899) ....*Charles Town, W. Va.*

Rev. Geo A. Gibons (1878) Rector of Emanuel Moorefield and in charge of Missions in Hampshire Co. ..*Romney, W. Va.*

Rev. Jno. F. Woods, (1878) .....*Philadelphia Penna.*

Rev. Robert Douglas Roller, D. D. (1879) Rector of St. Johns Ch., Charleston .....*Charleston, Kanawha, W. Va.*

Rev. Jacob Brittingham (1881) Rector of St. Luke's ch., Wheeling .....*Wheeling, W. Va.*

Rev. Chas. M. Campbell (1886) in charge of Boone Co. Mission .....*Racine, W. Va.*

Rev. S. Scollay Moore, D. D., (1888) Rector of Trinity Church,.....*Parkersburg, W. Va.*

Rev. Andrew J. Willis, (1890) Rector of Nelson Parish, (Grace Middleway, St. Bartholomew's Leetown and Church of the Holy Spirit, Summit Point) ....*Middleway, W. Va.*

Rev. Geo. W. Easter, (1892) Rector of All Saints Union and in charge of the Church of the Messiah Alderson..... ....*Union, W. Va.*

Rev. John S. Gibson (1892) Rector of Trinity Church Huntington, and in charge of Grace Church Kenova ....*Huntington, W. Va.*

Rev. B. M. Spurr (1894) General Misionary and Supt. Reynold's Memorial Hospital.....*Moundsville, W. Va.*

Rev. A. G. Grinnan (1895) Rector of St. Pauls Church, Weston..... .....*Weston, W. Va.*

***Rt. Rev. C. C. Penick*, D. D. (1899).....*Fairmont, W. Va.*

Rev. Jno. S. Douglas, (1899) Rector of Trinity Martinsburg, and in charge of Christ Church Bunker Hill..... .....*Martinsburg, W. Va.*

Rev. Chas. E. Shaw (1899) Rector of Mt. Zion Church, Hedgesville, and in charge of St. Mark's Church Berkeley Springs .....*Berkeley Springs, W. Va.*

Rev. David W. Howard (1899) Rector of St. Matthew's Church, Wheeling..... .....*Wheeling, W. Va.*
Rev. Jas. L. Fish (1900) in charge of St. Barnabas, Davis and Grace Church, Elkins.....*Davis, W. Va.*
Rev. Thos. J. Oliver Curran (1900) in charge of St. Andrews, Wheeling..... .....*Wheeling, W. Va.*
Rev. John Tilton Marley (1900) Rector of Trinity Morgantown and Warden of the Episcopal Hall....*Morgantown, W. Va.*
Rev. J. Howard Gibbons (1901) Rector of Point Pleasant Parish, (Christ Church and Bruce Chapel) ....*Point Pleasant, W. Va.*
Rev. J. A. Hiatt (1901) in charge of Ascension, Hinton and St. Peters, Glen Jean .....*Hinton, W. Va.*
Rev. Guy H. Crook (1901) Rector of Greenbrer Parish, (St. James, Lewisburg, Incarnation, Ronceverte, St. Thomas, White Sulphur), and in charge of the Missions in Pocohontas Co .....*Ronceverte, W. Va.*
Rev. Arthur M. Lewis (1901) in charge of St. Davids Powellton, Calvary, Montgomery, and Church of the Redeemer, Ansted .....*Powellton, W. Va.*
Rev. Everett Heath Brosius (1902) Rector of Christ Church, Bluefield, and in charge of Heavenly Rest, Princeton ....*Bluefield, W. Va.*
Rev. Jno. S. Alfriend (1902) Rector of Zion Church, Charles Town ....*Charles Town, W. Va.*
Rev. Wilson Page Chrisman (1902) Rector of Trinity Moundsville, and in charge of Grace Cresaps .....*Moundsville, W. Va.*
Rev. Paca Kennedy (1902) Rector of Ravenswood Parish, (Grace Ravenswood and St. Johns, Ripley) and of St. John's, Willow Island, and in charge of the Missions of Grace Church, St. Marys .....*St. Marys, W. Va.*
Rev. Paris B. Stauffer (1902) in charge of St. John's Church, Harpers Ferry, and St. John's Ripton,..*Harpers Ferry, W. Va.*
Rev. Geo. C. Shaw (1902) in charge of St. Andrew's, Mannington, and St. Mathias, Grafton .....*Mannington, W. Va.*
Rev. C. E. A. Marshall (1903) Rector of Trinity, Shepherdstown, ...*Shepherdstown, W. Va.*
Rev. Creetus A. Dowell, (1903) Rector of St. Paul's, Sistersville, ...*Sistersville, W. Va.*
**Rev. John Warnock* (1903) Rector of St. Mark's, St. Albans, and in charge of St. Luke's and St. Matthew's, Kanawha Co.,.....*Charleston, Kanawha, W. Va.*
Rev. Edward D. Irvine, (1903) Rector of Christ Church, Wellsburg, and of St. John's Brooke Co.,..*Wellsburg, W. Va.*

Rev. Francis Van R. Moore (1903) in charge of St. Paul's, Elm Grove .....*Elm Grove, W. Va.*
Rev. Austin B. Mitchell (1903) in charge of Christ Memorial Church, Williamstown, and of the Parkersburg Mission (Chapel of the Good Shepherd and Grace, Tavernsville,) .....*Williamstown, W. Va.*
Rev. Jas. F. Plummer (1904) Rector of Christ, Church, Clarksburg .....*Clarksburg, W. Va.*
Rev. W. Howard Meyers Deacon (1904) in charge of St. John's, Sutton, Transfiguration, Buckhannon, and Spruce Chapel, ...*Sutton, W. Va.*
Rev. C. Hely Molony, Deacon (1904) in charge of St. Ann's, New Martinsville .....*New Martinsville, W. Va.*
Rev. Jos. Livingston (1905) in charge of St. Philip's Chapel, Charles Town.....*Charles Town, W. Va.*
Rev. Hardy H. Phelps (1905) in charge of Holy Trinity, Bramwell, and Missions at Eckman and Welch .....*Bramwell, W. Va.*
***Rev. Morton A. Barnes*, (1905) Rector of Christ Church, Fairmont .....*Fairmont, W. Va.*

GEO. W. PETERKIN,
Bishop of West Virginia.

Parkersburg, May 24, 1905.

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*Absent.
**Not entitled to seats.

Ordained Deacon since meeting of Council.

Rev. P. N. McDonald.
Rev. T. G. Hill.

RULES OF ORDER.

Adopted by the Eighth Annual Council, June 3rd, 1885.

ORGANIZATION.

1st. The Council shall be opened each day with prayer.

2nd. After the call to order, no member shall remain standing, nor afterward stand, except to address the Chair.

ORDER OF BUSINESS.

1st. After the organization of the Council, the following order of business shall be observed:

The appointment of a committee on the Credentials of Lay Delegates.

The appointment of a Treasurer *pro tempore*, when the Treasurer is absent.

The adoption of rules of order.

The reading of the journal of the preceding day.

The reading of the pastoral address.

The appointment of committees.

Reports of standing committees.

Reports of special committees.

Unfinished business.

2nd. There shall be appointed by the President, not later than the *second* day of the Council, unless otherwise directed, the following standing committees, to consist of an equal number of each order.

A Committee on the State of the Church, to whom shall be referred the address of the Bishop on the opening of the Council.

A Committee on Parochial reports.

A Committee on the admission of new Parishes.

A Committee on the Episcopal Fund, and the Permanent Fund.

A Committee on the Brotherhood.

A Committee on Unfinished Business.

ORDER OF DEBATE.

1st. When a motion is made and seconded, it shall be stated by the President, and if in writing, be read by the Secretary before debated.

2nd. After a motion is stated by the President, or read by the Secretary it shall be deemed in possession of the Council, but may be withdrawn by the mover at any time before amendment or decision, with the consent of his second.

3rd. Every motion shall be reduced to writing if the President or any member require it.

4th. No new motion or proposition shall be admitted under color of amendment, as a substitute for the motion or proposition under debate.

5th. When a question is under debate, no motion shall be received but to adjourn, to lay on the table, for the previous question, to postpone indefinitely, to postpone to a certain day, to commit, or to amend, which several motions shall have precedence in the order enumerated; and the first three shall be decided without debate.

6th. The previous question shall be admitted only when demanded by a majority of the members present. It shall be in this form: "Shall the main question be now put?" and until decided, all debate and amendment are precluded.

7th. A motion to adjourn shall always be in order, and shall be decided without debate.

8th. When a member desires to speak in debate, or present any matter to the Council, he shall rise from his seat, and respectfully address himself to the President, and shall confine himself to the question under debate, avoiding all personality.

9th. If any member transgress the rules of the Council, the President shall, or any member may, call him to order; in which case the member so called to order shall immediately take his seat unless permitted to explain. If the ruling of the President be appealed from, the Council shall decide the question without debate.

10th. When two or more members rise at once, the President shall decide who is entitled to the floor.

11th. No member shall speak more than twice to the same question, without leave of the Council.

12th. The vote on all questions shall be taken by ayes and noes, whenever three members require it.

13th. Any member may call for a division of the question where the sense will admit it, but a motion to strike out and insert shall be deemed indivisible..

14th. Every member who may be in the house when the question is put shall give his vote, unless the Council, for special reasons, shall excuse him.

15th. No member shall vote upon a question, in the decision of which he is immediately and personally interested.

16th. Upon a division and count of the Council on any question, no member shall be counted who is not within the limits assigned as seats to the members.

17th. When a question has been decided by the Council, or postponed indefinitely, it may be reconsidered upon motion made by members voting in the majority: *provided*, such motion be made on the same or next or succeeding day of the session.

GENERAL REGULATIONS.

1st. No member shall absent himself from the meetings of the Council without leave, unless he be sick, or unable to attend.

2nd. The President shall, at his discretion, select suitable seats without the limits of those alloted to the use of the members, which shall be appropriated to the accommodation of visiting Clergymen and Candidates for Orders, who may be invited by the Rector or Wardens of the Church in which the meetings of the Council are held, under the directions of the President and Council.

3rd. No spectator shall, during the daily sessions of the Council, be admitted above of within the pews allotted to the members, and the Rector and Wardens of the Church in which the sessions of the Council are held, and directed to see that this rule is enforced.

4th. No rule of order shall be suspended except with the concurrence of two-thirds of the members present.

JOURNAL

OF THE

TWENTY-SEVENTH ANNUAL COUNCIL OF THE PROTESTANT EPISCOPAL CHURCH IN THE DIOCESE OF WEST VIRGINIA.

CLARKSBURG, WEST VIRGINIA,
May 31st, 1905.

Pursuant to the call of the Bishop to meet on Wednesday, May 31st instead of on the first Wednesday in June the Twenty-eighth Annual Council of the Diocese of West Virginia met in Christ Church this day at 9:45 a. m.

Morning prayer was said by Reverends Messrs. Jno. S. Douglas and Charles E. Shaw. Bishop Peterkin, assisted by Bishop Gravett, celebrated the Holy Communion, Bishop Penick reading the Epistle. The council sermon was preached by Rev. Jno. S. Alfriend, rector of Zion Church, of Charles Town, from St. Luke, xvi-31.

Immediately after divine service the Council was organized, Bishop Peterkin presiding and Rev. Jno. S. Gibson acting as Secretary for Dr. Roller, detained by having to conduct the funeral of Ex-Gov. E. W. Wilson.

The roll-call showed a quorum of both orders present.

The Bishop appointed as the Committee on Credentials of lay delegates Reverends Messrs. J. Howard Gibbons and A. B. Mitchell and Messrs. Edward Baxter and Wm. Shearer.

On motion the Rules of Order of the last Council were adopted for the government of this.

The Bishop named Mr. C. P. Flick to receive money payable to the diocesan treasurers until their arrival.

On motion of the Rector of the Parish the hours for Council

were fixed as follows: Divine service each morning at 9:30 with business session following, except on Thursday, Ascension Day, when the business session will begin at 9:30 and adjourn for service at 10:30. Afternoon sessions each day at 2 o'clock. The remainder of the order to be according to the published programme.

The Bishop read the statistical portion of his report and at 12:30 Council took a recess until 2:30 on motion of Dr. S. S. Moore.

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2 30 P. M.

The Bishop completed the reading of his annual address as follows:

BISHOP'S ANNUAL ADDRESS.

In greeting my Brethern of the Clergy and laity—who make up this 28th annual Council, I cannot but recall the occasion of our last meeting in this Church. It was on Wednesday, July 26th, 1899, just six years ago, and in the providence of God, and under the guidance of that Spirit whose presence is the hope of the Church, you then chose to help me in the work which had grown beyond my power to compass, a Bishop Coadjutor, who has so grown into the affections and confidence of the Diocese, that today we all count his presence and faithful and efficient service to be our best endowment. I thank God for the loving and cordial and considerate cooperation which has not only lightened my personal burden but infused a more vigorous life throughout the entire Diocese. May you be as happy in long enjoying his wisdom and zeal in your service, as you were fortunate in so soon securing them.

During the past year Death has claimed one of our band of clergy, the Rev. C. C. Pearson who came to us in 1882, twenty-three years ago, entered into rest.

At our last Council in Martinsburg it was evident to his many friends that he was by no means well, but his cheerful spirit and strong will kept us from realizing how serious was the trouble under which he labored. He loved to be among his brethren as they enjoyed having him in their midst, and so in pleasant intercourse those days passed which were to be the last of our earthly association and fellowship.

Mr. Pearson at different times served various places in the Diocese, and was therefore widely known and universally admired and respected. He was counted one of our best preachers, and in his faithful presentation of the Gospel he did good service for the Master in every post which

he occupied. Without personal pretence or affectation he was genial in disposition and sincere in his friendship. With a simple faith and unwavering loyalty he served his Master and helped his fellowmen, and the Church in West Virginia cherishes and honors his memory.

JUNE.

The 27th Annual Council met in Trinity Church, Martinsburg, on Wednesday, June 1st. The comfort and convenience of our sessions were much promoted by our having the use of a commodious and well arranged Parish House. It is no doubt found to be of great use in the ordinary working of the Parish.

Beside attending the usual sessions of the Council on Thursday, 2nd, I addressed a meeting of the Womans' Auxiliary.

Sunday 5. I administered the Holy Communion in Trinity Church, the Rev. Dr. Roller, a former Rector preaching. In the afternoon I visited Christ Church, Bunker Hill, the Rev. Mr. Spurr preaching; and in the evening I preached the closing sermon in Trinity Church.

Thursday 9. Made an address on the occassion of the laying the corner stone for a Y. M. C. A. building in Parkersburg.

Sunday, 12th. Visited Willow Island. Notice had failed to reach the Congregation of St. John's Church. I attended the Children's Day Services at the Baptist Church and made an address. In the evening I preached in the Church of the Messiah Waverly, having our congregation increased by the coming in of the Methodist minister with his people.

Tuesday, 14th. Friday 17th. Attended the annual exercises of the Theological Seminary of Virginia, comprising meetings of the Education Society, the Board of Trustees, the Alumni Meeting and the Commencements of the Seminary and the High School. Also on Thursday, 16th, attended a meeting for the organization of the Board of Trustees of the University College of Medicine, Richmond, Va. On Friday, 17th, I ordained to the Deaconate Mr. W. Howard Meyers, whom I assigned to have charge of the work at Sutton, Buckhanon and adjacent points, with headquarters at Sutton.

Sunday, 18th. A. M. Christ Church, Williamstown. P. M. Chapel of the Good Shepherd, Parkersburg.

Tuesday, 20th. In attendance on the meeting of the Trustees of Kenyon College, Gambier, O.

Saturday, 25th. Wednesday, 29th. In attendance on the Commencement of the University of the South, Sewanee, Tenn. During this visit I delivered an address in memory of the late Chancellor, Bishop Dudley, of Kentucky. This was my second visit to Sewanee, and I must confess the more I see of it, and the better I understand the far reaching plans of those who founded the University and of those who are now carrying it on in a like spirit, the more I am profoundly impressed with the vast possibilities for good that are bound up in that great institution.

JULY.

Sunday, 3rd. Grace Church, St. Marys, A. M., and P. M.; also visited the Sunday School.

Thursday, 7th. Visited Glen Jean, but owing to some failure in the notice, had no service. I met the congregation, however, at the house of Dr. Lee, and talked over Church matters with them.

Friday, 8th. Preached in the Methodist Church, Beckley and confirmed one, (1).

Saturday, 9th. At a very pleasant reception given at the Rectory, Hinton. I met many of the congregation.

Sunday, 10th. Preached A. M. and P. M. in the Church of the Ascension, Hinton, and in the morning confirmed five, (5). Under Mr. Hiatt's acceptable ministrations our work at Hinton, Beckley, and Glen Jean gives promise of steady growth.

Friday, 15th. Grace Church, Elkins. Here I found in charge Rev. F. A. Meade, who had before served the Diocese at other points, but who has since, I am sorry to say, been transferred to Virginia.

Sunday, 17th. Grace Church, Clover Lick.

Tuesday, 19th. At Driscol, near Huntersville. I preached in a school house.

Wednesday, 20th. Preached in the Presbyterian Church, Marlinton.

Thursday, 21st. Preached in the Presbyterian Church, Hillsboro. These last four points mentioned, in Pocohontas Co., are under the charge of Mr. Crook, of Ronceverte.

Friday, 22. Church of the Messiah, Alderson.

Sunday, 24th. Visited Lewisburg and Ronceverte, preached in both places, and in Ronceverte baptized a child in the absence of the Rector.

Sunday, 21st. Preached in St. James Church, Richmond, Va.

AUGUST.

Thursday, 4th. Sunday, 14th. In attendance on a Missionary Conference at Richfield Springs, N. Y. We had most helpful services and conferences each day during the session. I took part in many of the services made several addresses, and preached on Sunday, 14th, in St. Mary's Church, Springfield Centre.

Sunday, 21st. Trinity Church, Parkersburg, P. M., Chapel of the Good Shepherd, Parkersburg.

Sunday, 28th. A. M., and P. M., St. Luke's Church, Wheeling.

SEPTEMBER.

Friday, 9th. In St. Stephen's Church, Romney, I preached and confirmed four, (4).

Sunday, 11th. In Emanuel Church, Moorefield, preached and confirmed three, (3).

Monday, 12th. Tuesday, 13th. In attendance on the Eastern Convocation

in St. John's Church, Harpers Ferry, during which time I preached twice and made an address.

Sunday, 18th. A. M., Preached in the Baptist Church, Hartford. P. M., in the Church of Our Saviour, Mason, P. P. M., in Spilman Chapel, Spilman.

Tuesday, 20th. Thursday, 22. In attendance on the Kanawha Convocation meeting in Christ's Church, Pt. Pleasant.

Friday, 23rd. Preached in the Methodist Church, Winfield.

Sunday, 25th. In Christ Church, Point Pleasant, visited the Sunday School, and preached at the morning service. P. M. preached in Bruce Chapel and confirmed one (1).

Tuesday, 27th. Wednesday, 28th. In attendance on the N. W. Convocation meeting in St. Paul's Church, Weston, and made an address at the Missionary meeting Wednesday evening.

OCTOBER.

Sunday, 2nd. Trinity, Parkersburg. P. M. Good Shepherd.

Wednesday, 5th. Tuesday, 25th. In attendance on the General Convention, Boston. During the session I took part in the Communion Service in Emanuel on Friday 21st. Preached in Christ Church, Springfield, on Sunday, 9th; St. John, Jamaica Plain and St. James', Cambridge, on Friday, 15th; and in Calvary, New York, on Sunday, 23rd.

Sunday, 30th. A. M. Preached in St. James' Church, Richmond, Va., P. M. Preached for the Church Students Missionary Association in Holy Trinity.

NOVEMBER.

Sunday, 6th. A. M. Preached in St. Paul's, Ogontz. P. M. took part in the services at St. Paul's and in the evening preached at the Ogontz school.

Sunday, 13th. A. M. Preached in Grace Church, Cresaps. P. M. in Trinity, Moundsville.

Tuesday, 15th. Addressed the Woman's Auxiliary in Parkersburg.

Thursday, 17th. Preached in the Church of the Heavenly Rest, Princeton.

Friday, 18th. Athens.

Sunday, 20th. A. M. Christ Church, Bluefield, confirmed one (1). P. M. Preached in a school house, Gary, my first visit.

Monday, 21st. Preached in Presbyterian Church, Vivvian.

Tuesday, 22. Grace Church, Eckman.

Wednesday, 23. Preached in the Baptist Church, Elkhorn.

Thursday, 24. Holy Trinity, Bramwell. In the afternoon I baptized an infant in private. P. M. Preached in Christ Church, Pocohontas, Va. Administered the Holy Communion and confirmed one (1) for Bishop Randolph.

Friday, 25th. Preached in a school house, Mora. My first visit.

Sunday, 27th. A. M. Holy Trinity, Bramwell. Administered the Holy Communion and confirmed one (1). P. M. In the Presbyterian Church, Welch. I found very much to my regret that the Rev. Robt. N. Meade, who has administered so acceptably in this extended field since Mr. Marshall's removal, had accepted a call to Pittsburg.

Monday, 28th. Preached in the Presbyterian Church, Williamson, and confirmed one (1). This mission has made decided progress under Mr. Gibson's care, and the prospect of building a chapel at any early day is good.

Tuesday, 29th. In Huntington I attended the examinations of a candidate for orders.

Wednesday, 30th. In company with Mr. Gibson I paid my first visit to Holden, near Logan Court House, going over the new railroad up Guyan River. Here, as in many other places, we have a few people who desire the services of the Church, but for whom it is as yet almost imposible to make any regular provision. I preached in a school house.

DECEMBER.

Sunday, 4th. A. M. In St. John's Church, Charleston, I preached and ordained Mr. C. Hely Malony, Deacon. Rev. Dr. Roller presented the candidate. P. M. Preached in the school house at Point Creek.

Monday, 5th. Visited the Sheltering Arms Hospital and inspected the new building, also visited Wake Forest.

Tuesday, 6th. Visited Carbon. It did not seem expedient to hold services at this place or at Wake Forest, owing to a strike prevailing.

Friday, 9th. Visited Chester and New Cumberland. It was my first visit to Chester, and I was pleased to see the eligible lot we have secured. The Rev. Mr. Moore, of Elm Grove, who now has charge of the work, was with me.

Sunday, 11th. A. M. St. John's, Brooke Co. Also visited a sick man in the neighborhood. P. M. Christ Church, Wellsburg, and confirmed one (1). I was glad to find that St. John's had been renovated and repaired, so that it is in a better condition than it has been for twenty-five years.

Tuesday, 13th. In attendance on the Board of Missions, New York.

Sunday, 18th. Spent the day in Fairmont and preached twice, also conferred with the vestry in regard to the vacancy.

Tuesday, 20th. Officiated at a wedding in St. Ann's Church, Annapolis, Md.

Sunday, 25th. A. M. Good Shepherd, Parkersburg. P. M. Christ Memorial Church, Williamstown.

Monday, 26th. Administered the Holy Communion in Trinity, Parkersburg.

Wednesday, 28th. Made an address at the Sunday School celebration of the Good Shepherd.

Friday, 30th. Made an address at the Commencement exercises of the Reynolds Memorial Hospital, Moundsville, and delivered the Diplomas to the graduating class of the training school for nurses—three in all.

1905. JANUARY.

Sunday, 1st. A. M. Preached and administered the Holy Communion in Trinity Church, Parkersburg. P. M. Preached in Chapel of the Good Shepherd.

Sunday, 8th. A. M. Preached and administered the Holy Communion in the Chapel of the Good Shepherd, Parkersburg. P. M. Went to St. Stephens to keep an appointment, but owing to some mistake, there was no service.

Tuesday, 10th. In atttendance on the Board of Misisons, New York.

Sunday, 15th. Preached twice in St. Stephen's, Culpepper, Va., my old Parish Church.

Friday, 20th. Delivered a memorial address before Camp Jenkins, Parkersburg.

Sunday, 22nd. A. M. Preached in St. Paul's, Sisterville. In the afternoon visited and addressed the Sunday School and in the evening preached in St. Ann's, New Martinsville; meeting the vestry after service to confer with them about the vacancy.

Tuesday, 24th. Thursday, 26th. In attendance on the N. W. Convocation in Trinity, Parkersburg. During the sessions, on Tuesday evening I confirmed three (3), and on Wednesday morning administered the Holy Communion, and in the evening made an address at a missionary meeting.

Sunday, 29th. A. M. Preached in the M. E. Church, Cairo. P. M. Preached in the Methodist Protestant Church, Pennsboro and confirmed one (1), after service had a meeting in a private house, of those specially interested. The Rev. Mr. Dowell has now charge of these points.

FEBRUARY.

Thursday, 2nd. Met the vestry at Moundsville to confer with them about their Parish House.

Friday, 3rd. Attended a funeral at St. Marys.

Sunday, 5th. Visited the Reform School at Pruntytown, addressed the Sunday School, and afterwards preached in the Public Hall. I was gratified at the evidence of the efficient management of this important Institution. In the afternoon I addressed the Y. M. C. A. meeting in Grafton, and in the evening preached in St. Matthias' Church.

Sunday, 12th. A. M. Preached in Christ Church, Fairmont, P. M. In St. Andrew's Church, Mannington. It gave me pleasure to worship at last in this completed Church, and to see the Rectory wisely and bravely built.

Sunday, 19th. A. M. Christ Memorial, Wiliamstown. P. M. Good Shepherd, Parkersburg.

Sunday, 26th. A. M. St. Matthew's, Wheeling. P. M. St. Andrew's.

MARCH.

Sunday, 5th. I preached twice in Trinity Church, Morgantown, and at the second service confirmed seven (7). Under a new arrangement, made since my last visit, in addition to accomodating twelve or fifteen boys, the Hall is used as a Rectory and Parish House. On Saturday evening, the 4th, I met many of the congregation at a reception.

Friday, 10th. Preached in Trinity Church, Huntington. The lecture room of this church has been recently thoroughly renovated and the Church completely lighted by electricity in very handsome style.

Sunday, 12th. A. M. In Chapel of the Good Shepherd, Parkersburg, I preached and administered the Holy Communion. P. M. Preached in St. Stephen's Chapel.

Friday, 17th. Preached in St. James' Church, Richmond, Va.

Sunday, 19th. A. M. Preached in St. James', Richmond, Va., and P. M. in Emanuel, Henrico Co., Va.

Thursday, 23rd. Preached in St. Timothy's Church, Wilson, N. C.

Friday, 24th. Preached in the same Church.

Sunday, 26th. Preached A. M. and P. M. in the same Church and in the afternoon made a public address in the Court House under the auspices of the Y. M. C. A.

APRIL.

Saturday, 1st. St. Thomas, North View, Clarksburg, and confirmed three (3).

Sunday, 2nd. Christ Church, Clarksburg A. M. and P. M., and confirmed seventeen (17). In the afternoon made an address in the Opera House under the auspices of the Y. M. C. A.

Monday, 3rd. St. Barnabas, Davis. Confirmed 7.

Tuesday, 4th. Grace, Elkins. Confirmed 6.

Rev. Mr. Fish, of Davis, in now ministering to both of these churches. Such consolidation may not be according to the ideal plan, but it is in the interest of an economy both in men and money which we are compelled to practice, and in the cases adopted, viz. Davis and Elkins, Mannington and Grafton, Sutton and Buckhanon, St. Marys and Ravenswood, it is under the wise and energetic administration of our missionaries, working admirably well.

Sunday, 9th. A. M. Trinity, Martinsburg. Confirmed 6. P. M. Mt. Zion, Hedgesville. Confirmed 1.

Monday 10th. In All Saints, Frederick, Md. I preached the last of a series of sermons in connection with the 50th anniversary of the laying of the corner stone of the Church.

Tuesday, 11th. Attended meeting of the Board of Missions in New York.

Sunday, 16th. A. M. St. Matthew's, Wheeling. Confirmed 25. P. M. St. Paul's, Elm Grove. Confirmed 3.

Monday, 17th. St. John's, Sutton. Confirmed 4.

Tuesday, 18th. In Baptist Church, Gassaway, preached to a large congregation.

Wednesday, 19th. Had an appointment at Dundon, Clay Co., but owing to some mistake about the notice it failed. In the afternoon made an address in St. John's Church, Charleston.

Thursday, 20th. A. M. Made an address in St. John's, Charleston. P. M. Preached in Methodist Church, Glen Ferris.

Friday, 21. Church of the Redeemer, Ansted. Confirmed 2.

Sunday, 23rd. Easter Day. A. M. St. David's, Powellton. P. M. Methodist Church, Mt. Carbon. P. P. M. Calvary, Montgomery. Confirmed 1.

Monday, 24th. Preached in the Presbyterian Church, Nuttall and confirmed 2.

Tuesday, 25th. In the Presbyterian Church, Dubree.

Wednesday, 26th. In the school house near Beauty. Confirmed 2.

Thursday, 27th. In St. David's, Powellton. Confirmed 8.

Sunday, 30th. In Zion Church, Charles Town, confirmed 12. Also visited and addressed the Sunday School. P. M. Visited and addressed St. Philip's Sunday School, and in the evening preached in St. Philip's Church.

MAY.

Thursday, 4th. Delivered a lecture in Wheeling before the Twilight Club.

Saturday, 6th. Met the United Guild of Nelson Parish and the vestry at the Rectory, Middleway. About 75 persons were present and I could not but think that such united meetings was a most admirable way to unify the Parish, and to excite and direct their interest. In addition to this it gave me such opportunity of meeting the people as I could not otherwise have secured.

Sunday, 7th. A. M. In the Church of the Holy Spirit, Summit Point, I preached and confirmed 1. P. M. In St. Bartholomew's, Leetown, I preached and confirmed 3, and P. P. M. Grace Church, Middleway, I preached and confirmed 1.

Tuesday, 9th. Attended the metings of the Board of Missions, in New York.

Wednesday, 10th. In St. Stephen's Church, Romney, I preached and confirmed 5.

Thursday, 11th. I preached in St. Mark's Church, Berkeley Springs. This Church in connection with Mt. Zion, Hedgesville, is now under the

care of Rev. Chas. E. Shaw, while Mr. Stauffer, who was in charge at Hedgesville, has, on giving that up united St. John's, Ripon, to Harper's Ferry. This seems a more natural arrangement than that which has prevailed for some years past.

Sunday, 14th. In Trinity Church, Shepherdstown, I preached and confirmed 12. In the afternoon Mr. Marshall drove me to Duffields, where there were three to be confirmed, but the rain prevented service.

Tuesday, 16. In the afternoon I preached at Eakles school house and in the evening in the school house at Dry Creek and confirmed 7. In addition to these 7 one person was confirmed in private.

Wednesday, 17th. Attended the annual meeting of the Incorporators and Directors of the Sheltering Arms Hospital. We had a goodly number of visitors from up and down the valley. Evidence of the well sustained interest in this beneficient Institution.

Sunday, 21st. In Trinity Church, Washington, I preached before the Diocesan Convention of the Brotherhood of St. Andrew. I had the pleasure of meeting there Mr. Gardner, the President of the Brotherhood, and making arrangements with him to send some one to West Virginia that we may if possible revive our interest and activity in the Brotherhood. In the evening I preached in the Chapel at the Seminary, and had from the Professors most gratifying reports as to our four students in that Institution. I believe that most efficient and faithful work is being done at the Seminary, and that it never stood higher in the thought and consideration of the Church that it does to day. Its alumni and friends will be delighted to hear that the Bishop of New York has offered to put a new chancel to the present chapel, and this will be a very great improvement, not only to the general appearance of the building, but also as to affording additional seating capacity, now greatly needed and such enlarged space in the choir and around the chancel as will avoid the awkward crowding incident to our ordinations.

Thursday, 25th. Attended a meeting of the Diocesan Missions Committee in Parkersburg. We discussed and put forward a schedule for the next year, which the committee will lay before the Council for their information.

Sunday, 28th. A. M. Preached at the Chapel of the Good Shepherd, Parkersburg, and confirmed 4. P. M. at Christ Memorial Church, Williamstown and confirmed 1.

SUMMARY.

I have paid 123 visits to 93 places in the Diocese, and also officiated 36 times out of the Diocese, delivering 183 sermons and addresses. I have also attended 90 meetings, visited our three Convocations, and on 34 occasions I have confirmed 162 persons.

CHANGES IN THE DIOCESE.

Letters Dimissory.

Letters Dimissory have been given in behalf of *Rev. Robt. N. Meade* to the Diocese of Pittsburg, *Rev. Edwin B. Snead* to the Diocese of Southern Ohio, the *Rev. Maximo F. Duty* to the Diocese of Tennessee, the *Rev. F. A. Meade* to the Diocese of Virginia, and the *Rev. Robt. R. Windley* to the Diocese of Easton.

Letters Dimissory have been received in behalf of the *Rev. Jos. Livingston*, from the Diocese of Maryland, the *Rev. H. H. Phelps* from the Misionary District of Asheville, and from the *Rev. Morton A. Barnes* from the Diocese of Connecticut.

The clergy list has also been increased by the ordination to the Deaconate of the *Rev. W. Howard Meyer*, and the *Rev. C. Hely Molony*, The *Rt. Rev. C. C. Penick*, D. D., has resigned the Rectorship of Christ Church, Fairmont; the *Rev. Chas. E. Shaw* has resigned the Rectorship of St. Ann's, New Martinsville and become Rector of Mt. Zion, Hedgesville, and also assumed charge of St. Mark's, Berkeley Springs; the *Rev. Jas. L. Fish* retaining charge of St. Barnabas, Davis, extends his ministrations to Grace Church, Elkins; the *Rev. Wilson P. Chrisman* retaining charge of Trinity, Moundsville, has taken charge also of Grace Church, Cresaps; the *Rev. Paca Kennedy* has become Rector of Ravenswood Parish, Grace Ravenswood and St. John's Ripley, also Rector of St. John's, Willow Island, and has in addition charge of Grace Church, St. Marys and of the Church of the Messiah, Waverly; the *Rev. Paris B. Stauffer* retaining St. John's, Harpers Ferry, has given up Mt. Zion, Hedgesville, and taken charge of St. John's, Ripon; the *Rev. Geo. C. Shaw* retaining St. Andrews Mannington, has also taken charge of St. Matthias, Grafton; the *Rev. W. Howard Meyers* has been placed in charge of St. John's, Sutton, and the Transfiguration, Buckhannon; the *Rev. C. Hely Molony* has been transferred from Paint Creek and Cabin Creek, to which post he was assigned at his ordination in December last, to be in charge of St. Ann's, New Martinsville; the *Rev. Jos. Livingston*, has under the Rectorship of Rev. Mr. Alfriend, assumed charge of St. Philip's, Charles Town; the *Rev. H. Hardy Phelps* has succeeded Mr. Meade in charge of Trinity, Bramwell, and its associated missions; the *Rev. Morton A. Barnes* has become Rector of Christ Church, Fairmont.

Postulant.

James Davis Gibson.

Candidates for Deacons and Priests Orders.

T. Getz Hill.
Pierce N. McDonald.
Richard W. Trapnell.
Edward P. Dandridge.

Candidates for Priests Orders.

C. Hely Molony.
W. Howard Meyers.

I have ordained during the year, i. e., since May, 1904:

W. Howard Meyers. C. Hely Molony.

I have also during the same time attended six meetings of the Board of Missions in New York; the Missionary Conference at Richfield, N. Y., the sessions of the General Convocation in Boston; one meeting of the Board of Trustees of the Alexandria Seminary, and one meeting of the Trustees of Kenyon College, Gambier, O. I also attended the Commencement at the University of the South, Sewanee, Tenn., and have paid four official visits to the Hospitals at Paint Creek and Glendale, attending the meetings of the Directors and the Commencement of the Training Schools.

I report to the Council the following regularly organized Missions:

LOCATION.	NAME.	CHURCH.
Ansted	Advent Mission	The Redeemer.
Buckhannon	Upshur County Mission	Transfiguration.
Bramwell	Bramwell Mission	Holy Trinity.
Bunker Hill	Norborne Mission	Christ Church.
Berkeley Springs	Morgan Co Mission	St. Marks.
Charleston	W. Charleston Mission	St. Lukes.
Charleston	S. Charleston Mission	St. Matthews
Clover Lick, Marlinton.	Madison Mission	Grace.
Davis	Tucker County Mission	St. Barnabas.
Cresaps	Cresaps Valley Mission	Grace.
Eckman	McDowell County Mission	Grace.
Elkins	Randolph County Mission	Grace.
Elm Grove	Elm Grove Mission	St. Pauls.
Grafton	Taylor County Mission	St. Matthias.
Harpers Ferry	Harpers Ferry Mission	St. Johns.
Hinton	New River Mission	Ascension.
Kenova	Wayne County Mission	Grace.
Mannington	Mannington Mission	St. Andrews.
Montgomery	Coal Valley Mission	Calvary.
Okonoko	Hampshire Mission.	
Parkersburg, Tavernersville	Parkersburg Mission	Good Shepherd. Grace.
Powellton	Powellton Mission	St. Davids.
Princeton	Mercer County Mission	Heavenly Rest.
Rippon	Rippon Mission	St. Johns.
Romney	Hampshire County Mission	St. Stephens.
St. Marys	Pleasants County Mission	Grace.
Sutton	Elk River Mission	St. Johns.
Spruce	Spruce Mission	Spruce.
White Sulphur, Dry Creek, Eakles	White Sulphur Mission	St. Thomas.
Williamstown	Wood County Mission	Christ Memorial.

SPECIAL FUND.

The receipts for my special fund during the year have been as follows:

Boone Co.	$ 2 00
Bramwell	10 00
Bruce Chapel	17 00

Charleston	11.00
Charles Town	238 50
Elm Grove	12 00
Gary	15.00
Glen Jean	15 00
Grafton	11 00
Harpers Ferry	15 25
Hedgesville	10 00
Huntington	45 00
Martinsburg	38 76
Montgomery	1 00
New Martinsville	15 00
Nuttall	5 00
Parkersburg, Trinity	372 00
Point Pleasant	5 00
Powellton	10 00
Rippon	1 00
Romney	5 00
Sheltering Arms	5 00
Summit Point	4 00
Shepherdstown	10 00
Union	2 00
Welch	8 00
Weston	17 50
Wheeling, St. Luke's	100 00
Wheeling, St. Matthew's	83 00
Williamstown	10 00
	$ 1,094 01
Received From Outside Sources	505 00
Total	$ 1599 01

The Expenditures have been:

2 grants to missions	$ 25 00
10 grants to churches	344 07
2 grants to Sheltering Arms	70 00
2 grants to miscellaneous	20 50
22 grants to clergy	690 00
Total	$ 1149 57

Leaving a balance of $449.44. As my appeal is made the first of each year this balance is to serve for the next six months.

The Managers of the Church News have made a most encouraging report to me for the year March 1904-1905. They have between 800 and 900 subscribers, have received $230.65 and expended $216.77, leaving them

a balance of $13.88 with which to begin a new year. This paper which is conducted with so much spirit and efficiency by the Committee of Publication is more important than many of our people realize. Without pretending to compete with our large Church weeklies, it yet gives to us information about our own work which they cannot give. It already serves—and ought to serve still more as a means of communication between the Bishops and the Clergy and the People. We are all mutually encouraged by hearing of the welfare and activity of those who are so closely bound together as members of one Diocese.

There is no way in which we can more readily show our interest and sympathy one with another, and enlist too the aid of congregations and individuals in the common work than by using the columns of the Church News. If the paper had such a circulation as it deserves to have, we could all be sure that the word of Counsel or the appeal for sympathy and aid which appeared in its columns would reach everyone of our members and friends throughout the Diocese. This would make it still more a power for good. Shall it not be so?

HOSPITALS.

Our hospitals need no special mention at this time. They are steadily doing their beneficient work. The Reynolds Memorial cared for 525 patients during the year and the Sheltering Arms for 405. At the Sheltering Arms Hospital our plant has been greatly enlarged and improved by the erection of a new building (at a cost of about $3,000) which provides accomodation for our nurses and pupil nurses and also additional ward room. There is increasing demand for our graduate nurses. During the year the Reynolds Memorial has granted Diplomas to three.

PARISH REGISTERS.

I am gratified to be able to say that our Parochial Reports are this year in better shape than ever before. Effort has been made to make the Blank clear in its indications of requirements, and although no doubt there could yet be improvements, yet the effort has been so far successful that out of 83 reports received only 10 are not in shape. I am aware of the fact that the making up of reports is to some exceedingly distasteful, but I think all must acknowledge that the call is only for such items and facts as ought thoroughly to be known by those in charge of the work. The difficulty that seems to attach to the satisfactory performance of this duty may find an explanation in another failure that I fear is only too common, viz. in the matter of properly keeping up the Parish Register. One would think that for his own satisfaction a clergyman would make it a point of keeping an accurate record of official acts and of other things of interest and importance that ought to be recorded. But such is not always the case. Time and again I have had incoming Rectors complain

to me that their predecessors did not leave the scratch of a pen to guide them; no record of families or communicants, of baptisms, marriages or burials. But recently there has come to my knowledge the fact that a certain Parish Register contained no note of the death and burial of a faithful man, who certainly during my Episcopate of 27 years—and I know not for how long before—has been in every way the main stay of his Parish. I have also information that on another Register four weddings have been noted simply by entering the names of the parties, no mention being made of parents or witnesses, and no date given—such a Register would hardly be entitled to be admitted as evidence in a Court of Law—and no doubt many similar cases of neglect could be cited. I have recently noted that the secretary of the Diocese and the Rector of St. Matthew's, Wheeling, have adopted a card system, modelled after the method which prevails in public libraries of keeping track of the books, and it must greatly simplify the problem It does not follow that one must have an expensive Register in which to keep their Records. A cheap blank book will answer every purpose, and it seems to me that every congregation however small, ought to have something of the kind so that we shall know where to find a definite record of that which has to do with the condition and progress of our Church life.

THE KALENDAR.

I do not care to make any additional statement, at this time, in regard to the value of the Kalendar which I put forth as a guide for offerings during the year, except to say that each year's experience convinces me of the great importance of the adoption, and conscientious and persistent adherance to some such scheme, in every congregation in the Diocese, be it large or small. Since I have discussed the matter so much, in time past, I shall now only call your attention to what the present parochial reports show, viz. that in the matter of offerings for the cause of Religious and Theological Education, which is called for by canonical enactment, and therefore comes to all with full canonical as well as moral obligation, and in addition to these obligations, is commended to us by our loyality to the Seminary which has supplied 26 out of our present 42 clergy, and by the need of fair dealing with the Education Society, which on an average, each year, spends in support of our West Virginia young men, about $4 for every $1 received from us. The Parochial Reports I say, show that in this matter of offerings for the cause of Religious and Theological Education, that out of our 59 organized congregations 35 representing about 2000 communicants, absolutely ignored the whole matter. To say nothing of canonical and moral obligations, I can hardly think this to be fair dealing with a Society and Seminary to whom we are so deeply indebted year by year, and to whose support we are pledged by every consideration of gratitude and duty and interest. In behalf of these 2000 communicants, I feel constrained to say that their failure

is to be ascribed to the fact that the cause of which we speak was never brought to their attention. The inference is plain that if some well considered plan were adopted and faithfully followed up, then no cause that has these both canonical and moral obligation could be forgotten or ignored.

GENERAL CLERGY RELIEF FUND.

I feel I must also in this connection speak a word for the General Clergy Relief Fund, of which this Diocese is a beneficiary to the extent of $200 annually, paid to the widow of one of our former clergy. We have been and still are solicited to merge our Diocesan Fund, for which we make our offering on Christmas Day, and which paid last year to six beneficiaries about $600, but so far we have deemed it inexpedient to do this. I am not discussing the question here, but have brought it forward to remind you that while we are exercising our undoubted right to provide such a fund for ourselves and to administer it at our discretion, yet that does not justify us in ignoring the General Clergy Relief Fund, which the Church has, through the General Convocation established. This Fund has now on its list about 400 beneficiaries. It aims to give a pension or annuity to every disabled clergy whether he be young or old, and whatever his residence, and to the widows and orphans of deceased clergymen, and this it does without payment of dues or fees or premiums or age requirements or Diocesan limitations. Such a fund certainly claims our cordial cooperation and support, and especially when it comes before us endorsed by the General Convocation which recommends that a definite day of each year to be set apart for offerings for this fund. We do not need any argument to convince us of the need of providing for an old age pension which shall be available as a right, by reason of age, and years of honorable service, and yet out of our 59 organized congregations only 14 gave anything to this worthy object, which constitutes a constant and pathetic appeal for our support. The reason for this neglect has already been indicated i. e. for lack of some systematic plan cordially and persistently carried out this and other worthy objects are crowded out of our minds, and so some us may come at last to claim aid from a fund which we have, during our years of service, continually ignored.

REVIVAL IN WALES.

It is not my custom, as you know, to consume your time by the discussion of subjects that are perhaps sufficiently ventilated in the religious press of the day, but I feel that a few words about the remarkable revival in Wales may serve to direct thought in such wise as will be helpful. I suppose if the question were directly put to us, and we were pressed for an answer, we would all freely acknowledge that there was abundant room and

great need for a revival of true religion throughout the length and breadth of the land. Such confession, just in proportion as it is the expression of a deep consciousness of need, lies at the foundation of every true revival or religion, and directly contributes to its progress. "They that are whole need not a physician but they that are sick." Of course you understand that we use the word revival in the sense of its permanent effect upon life in all relations, and not of its spasmodic effect artificially generated, and therefore tending to disturb and distort such relations. It is possible that we may be too conservative in our dealings with all that comes under the general head of "revivals," but certainly the whole genius of our church is rather to lead men, reverently and patiently along what we may call the permanent ways of religious life, than in anywise to seem to limit the outpouring of God's spirit to channels of our own devising, and to force men into these channels.

Some months ago, one of our papers clearly stated what it believed to be the essential difference between the revival in Wales, and that which was afterward inaugurated in London; and without any reflection upon the pure zeal or Christian character of the Evangelist who under took to direct the movement in London, it seems to me that we cannot but acknowledge the truth of the statement made, that these Evangelists went to London to create a revival by organization, and by machinery upon well defined psychological principles. This may be a perfectly legitimate method of procedure, but you do not find in any such movement as that the origin of the revival in Wales. Indeed so far from it, it would puzzle anyone to tell just how it originated. You could only say "The wind bloweth where it listeth, and thou hearest the sound thereof, but cannot tell whence it cometh, or whither it goeth." Of Mr. Roberts, who more than any other person is associated in our minds with this great awakening, it is said that he seems to be working upon the principle that God is in men, and that they need but to realize and actualize His Presence among them. It is worthy of note that the revival, in which he has been prominent, seems in no way dependent upon himself, but has manifested itself where he has never been. As the result of this revival men are found fulfilling more faithfully their duty in the various relations of life. It is in the main a natural, rational, spiritual revival, so that the movement, as a whole, seems calculated not only to leave substantial impress upon the spiritual life of the people, but to make a permanent contribution to it.

Under all these conditions the lesson is very plain to us. Living as we are, under the Dispensation of the Spirit, we must be continually looking to Him, and our expectations must ever be from Him. If our need be great His power is also great and His promise is sure. He wants to be enquired of by us, then shall we know if we follow on to know the Lord. If we open our mouths wide He will fill them. For this work of advancement and revival in the Church, shall manifest

itself in the purer lives of Christian men and women, and the more active gathering of the outcasts and aliens into the fold. This work shall not be by human might or power, but led by the Spirit of the Lord.

And what I have here said has a direct bearing upon an aspect of our work, which I have time and again mentioned as of importance and promise. I mean the work of Evangelization as contrasted with, or at least supplementary to the work of organization. I suppose it is perfectly natural that a minister should look for a visible tangible reward in his work, in the building up and increase of his congregation, but over and above all that, it seems to me that a great field of usefulness is opened out to us in the work of Evangelization. We can ordinarily get just as many people to come to our services, where we have no organization, and perhaps no prospect of one, as where we have organized Parish or Mission. It seems to me that this is to be taken as indicating a line of duty and of privilege. I believe that in these special services, we may have from time to time in school houses and Court Houses and it may be in the open air, we get at many persons, not otherwise accessible. Our chief responsibility, as those that have received the Gospel, is to give it to those who have not received it, and not only in the case of those who live in Heathen lands, but also to the multitudes in our own Christian land, who are scattered abroad as sheep having no shepherd. If the people will not come to us, we must, as best we can, go to them, yes out into the highways and hedges and compel them to come in. Sometimes prejudiced people will not come into one of our chuch buildings, but they will, with the crowd attend services elsewhere. I do not know to what extent tent or open air meetings are available in our towns and cities, but it really seems that these towns and cities, though not large, have already a considerable population that it is hard to reach in any other way. In speaking of all such work a representative of one of our Boards of Home Missions has wisely said that to say that we have done all that we can do to get the people into the Churches, and that they still refuse to come is to admit defeat. The people may be at fault, but you must remember that the Church was established for faulty people. The greater their fault, the greater becomes our responsibility in the matter of reaching them with the helpful ministrations of the Gospel. Even though the methods may be unusual. And it is more important to consider all this, because we canot deny the truth of an assertion recently made, that we are face to face with the tremendous and menacing fact that people are going away from the Churches by the mere growth of the population, in all our great cities. And though we, in West Virginia, may not seem to be specially exposed to the danger, yet the beginnings of it may be discovered even in our large towns and small cities. Even if there be not, in proportion, so many unattached, churchless, Godless people in small places as in large, yet, since there is a constant flow from the

country and small towns and cities to the larger places, the whole subject becomes one of increasing importance.

It has been pertinently asked, in the meantime what are churches doing. Too often they are engaged in barrack-ground drill, instead of being engaged in active and effective propaganda. Cultivated parochialism is the note of too many of the churches. It is unfortunately fatally easy for a company of good and pious people to sink into this condition of cultivated parochialism We gather into our churches a community of people much alike in qualities of mind, social condition, and intellectual tastes, and the Church thus constituted is apt to become more of a social club, than a propagandist centre. We have plenty of force in our churches for the Christian conquest of our great cities, and the regeneration of our villages and towns, but we fail to mobilize these forces. The saying of Napoleon that the only way to have a conquering army is to have an army that is always fighting, applies also to the greater questions of spiritual conquest. No man can keep his own soul alive, who is not trying to save other souls, and no church that is not passionately trying to win the world that is without, is truly alive.

GENERAL MISSIONS.

During the past winter, under the continued depression in the financial condition of our general missionary treasury, I felt constrained, after an unusually long and anxious meeting of the Board of Missions, to offer, for this Diocese, an advance of twenty per cent, on the amount that had been assigned to us as our proper apportionment for the current year. This leads the Board to expect from us $3,120 instead of $2.600. This may seem to some to have been rather a rash proceeding for a Diocese, not strong in its own resources, and essentially missionary in character, but the urgency of the situation was such as to call for special and immediate action. The enlarged scope of our general work, owing to the demands of our new dependencies, and the continued needs of many of the old fields taken in connection with the discouraging and indeed alarming failures in various parts of the church, to meet the apportionment expected of them, had brought things to such a pass, that I could not but feel that everyone who was a lover of the Church, and servant of the Master, ought to gird himself for a special effort to meet the immediate and pressing need. It seemed vain to wait for a general concerted movement to meet the emergency, for the fascinating calculation of the great results that would follow if all would lend a helping hand, and take a long pull, and a strong pull and a pull all together, have been proved by experience, to be exceedingly delusive. The question thus seemed to be, not how can we inaugurate a scheme of more general cooperation, for the Board has been and still is continually putting forth vigorous effort to do that very thing, and it would seem is leaving no stone unturned to bring about such a happy consummation. But the question seemed rather what can we our-

selves do to meet the prevailing condition without waiting for others, and saying it may be with cautious reserve "what is this man or that man doing to advance the cause? It is this immediate duty as it appeared to us, we have tried to take up in making our additional pledge, and I count upon the cordial cooperation of the Diocese to make the pledge good. We gave a like amount last year, and we are not fewer in numbers, nor poorer in pocket than we were then. Even if the limit has been reached, in so far as offerings in the Church are concerned, of which their is grave doubt, yet there are many individuals among our people, who would cheerfully respond to a personal application, were it wisely and strongly made. I am convinced that in these individuals we have an undeveloped field of resources, and that also the scattered friends and members of the Church, who are not under the usual charges for the maintenance of local worship, could do a vast deal more than they do, if we of the clergy exercised a more decided leadership just along these lines. As far as the general support of the aggressive work of the Church is concerned, there are no doubt hundreds of communicants and friends of the Church, who to the question why stand ye here all the day idle, might well make answer, because no man hath hired us. Our failure to approach men directly in the great matter of personal religion, and confession of Christ, is parallelled by our failure to bring home to them patiently and judiciously the duty of personal service in and support of the Church.

THANK OFFERING FOR GENERAL CONVENTION.

In addition to the instrumentalities that are already employed it has been determined to try and unite the men of the Church, members and friends, after the example set time and again by the women in their united offerings, to unite the men I say in a thank-offering to be presented at the General Convention, to meet in Richmond, in 1907. The occasion being the 300th anniversary of our first service at Jamestown, Va., is certainly one to suggest and foster such a plan. An essential feature of the scheme is, that whatever use may be made of circular letters, yet that, at some time, a personal appeal shall be made to every man member or friend of the Church, that he will take part in this offering. In order to carry out this plan and cooperate more heartily with the Central Committee and with our Brethren all over the country, I have appointed as our Diocesan Committee, our delegation to the General Convention in Boston, in connection with Bishop Gravatt,Mr. Spurr and myself. I cannot tell yet just what form our action will take but I bespeak for this committee the cordial cooperation of the clergy and laymen throughout the Diocese. Having more than two full years in which to make this personal canvass, the task does not appear to be very onerous. If we will throw aside our timidity and false shame, and rise to the height of this great privilege and opportunity we may help kindle an enthusiasm which will in a short time do the work of many languid years.

DIOCESAN SELF SUPPORT.

And this brings me to say that in my judgment, the time has come, when for the credit of the Diocese, and the good of the common cause, we should make a still further step to show our interest in, and to render efficient aid to the general missionary work of the Church. Some of you may remember that before the formation of the Diocese in 1877, it was proposed to form the territory of the State of West Virginia into a missionary jurisdiction, and as such throw the burden of its support on the General Church. I make bold to say, that we are all now glad that this was not done. Still there were great searchings of heart at the time, as to what was really the best thing to do under all the circumstances, and naturally there were wide differences of opinion as to the wisest course An illustration of these wide differences has but recently come to my knowledge, and it may be well to speak of it just here. The truth is that with optimism on one hand and pessimism on the other, there was not only need for great caution in forming an opinion, but it was needful also to keep in mind, that in matters pertaining to the Kingdom of God, we must always remember that there are at work other factors than simply those which appear to a casual observer.

The case alluded to was simply this, that at the time of the formation of the Diocese, there were two gentlemen connected with our church than whom none, in West Virginia, were more prominent, or apparently likely to be better informed as to prevalent conditions. One of them wrote to warn the Bishop elect, though the warning never reached him, and I think I may safely say would not have been effectual if it had, and say that he ought by no means to regard the call of the Church in West Virginia, because he, knowing whereof he spoke, felt constrained in all fairness, to say that the Church people in this new Diocese had pledged themselves all together beyond their ability, and that there was no future for the movement save that of disastrous failure. I need hardly say to you, who are here today, that by the good hand of our God upon us, and by the constant and cordial cooperation of an intelligent and faithful people clerical and lay, that the Diocese has lived down that gloomy prediction.

The other one of the gentlemen took an entirely different view of the situation. Looking at the whole enterprise from a broader outlook, and with a more hopeful spirit, he pledged himself to make up such deficiency in the financial resources of the Diocese, as seemed to some so inevitable, as effectually to block the way of advance. But as he himself informed me several years ago, he has never been called upon to make good his pledge. The Diocese has promptly and fully met all its obligations, and I may add that today, although these obligations have more than doubled since my consecration, twenty-seven years ago, the Diocese still meets them promptly and fully. Might not this be taken as a good illustration

of what Bishop Coleridge Patteson said, that Education consisted in teaching people to bear responsibilities, and in putting those responsibilities upon them as they could bear them.

But although West Virginia did decline to throw the burden of her general support upon the Church at large, it nevertheless seemed expedient that she should receive help in sustaining her missions. This help she has been receiving regularly during these twenty-seven years of her independent existence, and no doubt but that this help has enabled us to cultivate our widely extended field, as otherwise we could not have done. But I think that after these twenty-seven years, we may be said to have attained to our majority. During this time our fourteen Clergy have increased to forty-two, our twenty-five churches to upwards of eighty, our eleven Rectories to forty-two, our endowment from nothing to upwards of $36,000, our Fund for Disabled Clergy and the widows and orphans of deceased clergy from nothing to about $7,000, the sum total of the money we raise for all purposes from about $10,000 to upwards of $80,000, to the $175,000 worth of property we had twenty-seven years ago we have added about $750,000 more, and thus find ourselves vastly better equipped for aggressive work than the most sanguine could have expected in such time. Our little band of about 1200 communicants has grown to nearly 5,000 and we are by the labors of our faithful missionaries, extending our influence everywhere throughout the State. And beside all this, to the amazement of some of our friends, we have taken the great forward step of adding a Bishop Coadjutor to our working force, specially in the interests of aggressive work, providing for him as for the Bishop, a comfortable and commodious residence. We have also two Hospitals and Training Schools in successful operation, which during the last year cared for nearly 1,000 patients, of which number three-fourths were practically free, and all this time the General Church has been given in about $2,000 annually, in all about $50,000 to help maintain and extend our work throughout the Diocese, and inaddition to $400 year by year to enable us to carry on some work among our colored people. Under all these circumstances and conditions, it becomes a pressing question, has not the time came for us to assume more direct responsibility for the missionary work within our borders, and thanking the Board of Missions for its nursing care during all these years, now relieve that Board of further obligation, except in so far as its aid is extended for work among the colored people, and except also what we may receive from the Woman's Auxiliary united offerings, for women workers in the Diocese.

We all know enough of human nature to understand that it will perhaps never be convenient to surrender the $1,450 we now receive from the General Church. We, like other people and churches, cling to our subsidies with tenacious grasp, and always think we can show peculiar conditions prevailing which make it still expedient in our case, if not in that of others to continue former missionary appropriations. But, my Brethern, we can

not always confine our activities to that which is convenient and easy to do; we must sometimes at least rise to the height of undertaking that which calls for effort and self-denial, and be ready to forego certain advantages we are enjoying, if so be that we help advance the Kingdom and honor the Master. I think that the time has now come for us whose Diocese in coterminous with this growing and prosperous state, to put forth this effort and exercise this self denial, and I ask the Diocese here in Council assembled to make this judgment their own, and lead all the people, who look to us for guidance, to make this forward movement to which we seemed to be called by all the conditions and circumstances of the case, and may we not take there conditions and circumstances as being for us the voice of the Master Himself. Yes! It is time for us to go forward in the name of the Lord, and, as far as we can, clear our skirts of any complicity in the present lagging advance of the great army.

I thus bring this matter before you, because on every account, your voice ought to be distinct and emphatic, so that it shall appear that this advance is not simply on the word of the Bishop, but in accordance with the desire and judgment of the Diocese itself. And while asking you to make this great advance, I think it but right to say that I am not acting hastily or unadvisedly, or in such a way as to imperil the support of those brave and loyal missionaries, who are holding posts that are scattered about on our thin long drawn line. I believe that the experience of the past would keep all these men from feeling that the Bishops had forgotten them in the excitement of a general advance. But for others, especially for the lay people in our small congregations, who may be disposed to think that their interests and necessities have been somewhat overlooked, I would speak this reassuring word, that an efficient plan of meeting the condition of the case has been well worked out before the proposal is now made. Let me briefly outline this plan for the information of all concerned.

The assessment for Diocesan Missions has stood at about $3,000 since 1896, nine years ago, when it was first imposed, the exact assessment that year being $2,970. Since that time the Clergy have increased from 34 to 42, and the communicants from 3,925 to about 5,000. We have also increased our Episcopal Fund from about $5,000 to upwards of $36,000 and the income from this increased fund, under the circumstances, more than provides for the support of the Bishop Coadjutor, whose constant and efficient work throughout the Diocese adds greatly to our strength. So then it would seem that we are in condition to ask our congregations voluntarily to add something, say from $250 to $500 to what they already pay to this fund. In addition to this substantial increase which seems to be altogether reasonable, it is further proposed to ask the various congregations that receive missionary assistance and they are about 50 in number to do, each one something more in self support. An average of even $5 would make up an additional sum of $250, but as the report of our

Diocesan Missions Committee will show, we expect them to do much more than that. By these means we expect to make up at least one half of the sum heretofore received from the General Church, which we now relinquish. To assure the balance and so relieve our minds of any apprehension that our work will be in any wise crippled I have appealed to three persons to join me in guaranteeing the amount, and they have readily and cordially consented, so that the way seems clear for the proposed action.

The cooperation I have secured has been sought after consultation with the Rectors of the Churches concerned, and it has been so cordially and unhesitatingly given that I am convinced that further effort along this line would have easily sceured the whole amount needed, but I felt that this could hardly be done with justice to the Churches themselves, because they ought themselves to feel and to share the increased responsibility. I present this thought however for the careful consideration of the Clergy whether others of them, besides those mentioned above, have not individuals in their congregations, who would desire to join the four persons mentioned above, as uniting with them to share proportionally the whole obligation, or as contributing some definite sum towards the amount that may be needed, and so lessening the obligation of the four who are now standing in the breach.

The Bishops naturally hesitate about making too many personal appeals to their people, but at this time, and under present conditions, we waive personal considerations and feel that you have a right to look to our leadership in a matter of such moment. In the providence of God, this advance seems now called for and we do not believe that you will be found wanting. It is our hope that the aid we now relinquish will under the careful administration of the Board prove helpful to those who may need it even more than we do.

I cannot but think that a wise decision in regard to this matter of common interest and concern will inform and inspire our people with a truer missionary spirit and if we do, what we do, with the high purpose of duty, and in a spirit of loyal devotion to the gracious Master, whose we are and whom we serve, that God, even our own God, will give us His blessing.

On motion of Rev. D. W. Howard a committee of five was appointed to consider and report upon the subject, introduced to Council by the Bishop in his address, of our relation to the Board of Missions with a view of relinquishing the aid hitherto extended by it to our missionary work.

The Committee appointed consist of:

Rev. David W. Howard.
Rev. Geo. C. Easter.
Rev. Jno. S. Alfriend.
Mr. V. A. Weaver.
Mr. Cameron L. Thompson.

The Committee on Credentials of Lay Delegates reported as follows:

The Committee on Credentials respectfully report that the following named persons are duly certified delegates and alternates to this Convention.

J. HOWARD GIBSON.
GEO. A. BAXTER,
A. B. MITCHELL,
W. W. SHEARER.

PARISHES.

Parish.	P. O.	Church.	Delegates.
1. All Saints	Union	All Saints	J. M. Rowan.
1871			H. M. Brown. M. D.
			A. S. Johnson.
			E. S. McNeer.
			J. D. Logan.
			C. A. Shanklin.
2. Bangor	St. Albans	St. Marks	
3. Bethel	Clarksburg	Christ	*I. W. Williams.
			M. W. Smith.
			W. F. Nuzum.
4. Christ	Fairmont	Christ	J. E. Sands.
			*Wm. E. Watson.
			J. O. Watson.
			Geo. H. Brobst.
			Walton Miller.
			E. A. Russell.
5. Christ	Wellsburg	Christ	*Geo. A. Baxter.
			Joseph Fausett.
			Fred. L. Hall.
			T. H. Buchanan.
			M. Morgan.
6. Emanuel	Moorfield	Emmanuel	Thomas W. Lakin.
			I. V. Seymour.
			W. H. Shearer.
			*W. W. Shearer.
			H. McS. Gamble.
			R. D. Pollock.
7. Kanawha	Charleston	St. Johns	*W. S. Laidley.
1788			C. F. Payne.
			Alfred Phillips.
			J. J. Warwick.
			B. R. Roller.
			Jos. C. Jeffords.
8. Greenbrier	Lewisburg	St. James	.....
9. Norbourne	Martinsburg	Trinity	*J. Gassman.
1766			*H. L. Alexander.
			Dr. A. Andrews.
			C. A. Miller.
			B. W. Colston.
			C. Wesley Small.
10. Norbourne	Hedgesville	Mt. Zion	*Geo. T. Krelow
1769			Walter B. Lingamfelter.
			Jacob H. Miller.
			Lee Lingamfelter.

Parish.	P. O.	Church.	Delegates.
11. Nelson	Middleway	Christ	*James Grantham.
1888			Wm. C. Frazier.
	Leetown	St. Bartholemew	I. H. Strider.
			Wm. H. Gilbert.
	Summit	Holy Spirit	Geo. C. Whiting.
			J. E. Trussell.
12. Pt. Pleasant	Pt. Pleasant	Christ	P. C. Eastham.
			C. K. Blackwood.
			H. E. Spillman.
			L. S. Pomeroy.
			J. W. C. Heslop.
			M. G. Tyler.
13. Ravenswood	Ravenswood	Grace	
14. St. Andrews	Charles Town	Zion	Joseph Trapnell.
			*Richd Henderson.
			Geo. R. Wendling.
			Robt Chew.
			B. C. Washington.
			W. B. Packett.
15. St. Andrews	Shepherdstown	Trinity	Jno. O. Aglionby.
			P. P. Marshall.
			*L. R. Lee.
			Dr. Hopkins Gibson.
			Dr. Myers.
16. St. John	Willow Island	St. Johns	
17. St. Lukes	Wheeling	St. Lukes	L. E. Sands.
			*M. R. Wolff.
			*Frank Zook.
18. St. Matthews	Wheeling	St. Matthews	*J. D. DuBois.
			*Dr. G. A. Ashman.
			*C. P. Flick.
			H. Quarrier.
			J. C. Brady.
			Allan Brock.
19. St. Pauls	Weston	St. Pauls	R. H. Harrison.
			S. C. Hess.
			N. C. Bailey.
			Louis Burnett.
			A. H. Kunst.
			E. M. Vandervort.
20. Trinity	Parkersburg	Trinity	*H. H. Moss.
1846			*Dr. W. H. Sharp.
			*C. C. Martin.
			B. M. Ambler.
			F. Fowler.
			W. G. Peterkin.
21. Trinity	Moundsville	Trinity	*V. A. Weaver.
			Friend Cox.
			C. S. Walton.
			A. J. Martin.
			J. F. Galleger.
			A. B. Williams.
22. Glen Allen	Morgantown	Trinity	*Fredk Truscott.
			*Bryan Gordon.
23. Trinity	Huntington	Trinity	*Cameron L. Thompson.
			*G. A. Northcott.
			Thos. W. Moore.

Parish.	P. O.	Church.	Delegates.
			Edmund Sehon.
			C. D. Emmons.
			F. R. Van Antwerp.
24. Wetzel.....	New Martinsville.....	St. Annes.....	S. R. Martin.
1851			*S. Bruce Hall.
			I. F. Martin.

MISSIONS.

Missions.	P. O.	Church.	Delegates.
25. St. Johns.....	Cross Creek.....	St. Johns.....	
26. Tyler.....	Sistersville.....	St. Pauls.....	Geo. F. Durham.
27. Bluefield.....	Bluefield	Christ.....	
Tyler Co.....	Grafton.....	St. Matthias.....	
Hampshire.....	Romney.....	St. Stephens.....	Wm. R. Baird.
			Geo. W. Parsons.
Hampshire.....	Okonoko	Epiphany.....	E. W. McGill.
			Hy. M. Russell.
Spruce Run.....	Lorentz.....	Spruce Chapel...	Lilburn Dowell.
			Geo. W. Spalding.
Elk River..	Sutton.....	St. Johns.....	Amos Bright.
			W. E. Haymond.
Upshur.....	Buckhannon.....		C. O. Latham.
			W. H. Howard.
Morgan Co.....	Berkeley Springs.....	St. Marks.....	
Harpers Ferry.....	Harpers Ferry..	St, Johns.....	*Barnabas Bryan.
Ripon	Ripon.....	St. Johns.....	*F. C. LaRue.
			Dr. Howard Osborn.
New River.....	Hinton	Ascension.....	
Cresaps.....	Cresaps	Grace.....	
Coal Valley..	Montgomery.....	Calvary.....	
Advent.....	Ansted	Redeemer	
Princeton.....	Princeton.....	Heavenly Rest....	
Wayne Co..... .	Kenova.....	Grace.....	
Bramwell.....	Bramwell	Holy Trinity.....	W. D. Tyler.
			W. C. Brooke.
St. Davids.....	Powellton.....	St. Davids.. ...	
Elm Grove.....	Elm Grove	St. Pauls.....	
Wheeling	Wheeling	St. Andrews.....	
St. Lukes.....	Charleston..... ..	St. Lukes.....	
St. Matthews.....	Charleston..... ..	St. Matthews.....	
Madison.....	Clover Lick.....	Grace.....	
Norbourne.....	Bunker Hill.....	Christ.....	
St. Thomas	White Sulphur	St. Thomas.	
Davis.....	Tucker.....	St. Barnabas.....	*John L. Fish.
Christ Memorial.....	Williamstown	Christ.....	
Grace....	Eckman.....	Grace	Dr. P. H. Killy.
Elkins.....	Elkins.....	Grace	Chas. H. Scott.
			J. Lacy Dunlap.
St. Marys..... ..	St. Marys.....	Grace	
St. Andrews.....	Mannington..	St. Andrews.....	
	Parkersburg.....	Good Shepherd...	
	Tavennersville		

The Bishop appointed the Standing Committees of the Council as follows:

STATE OF THE CHURCH.

Rev. Jno S. Douglas. Mr. Richard Henderson.
Rev. A. M. Lewis. Mr. G. A. Northcott.

PAROCHIAL REPORTS.

Rev. James L. Fish. Mr. H. L. Alexander.
Rev. F. Van R. Moore. Mr. Byron Gordon.

NEW PARISHES.

Rev. S. S. Moore, D. D. Mr. Joseph D. DuBois.
Rev. Chas. E. Shaw. Mr. James Grantham.

EPISCOPAL AND PERMANENT FUND.

Rev. Andrew G. Grinnan. Dr. W. H. Sharp.
Rev. Jno. Tilton Marley. Mr. Geo. H. Kreglow.

FINANCE.

Dr. G. A. Aschman. Mr. Bryan.
Mr. Bruce Hall. Mr. Frederick Truscott.

UNFINISHED BUSINESS.

Rev. Dr. Roller. Mr. J. Gassman.
Rev. E. D. Irvine. Mr. Jno. L. Fish.

Bishop Gravatt read his Diary as follows:

BISHOP GRAVATT'S ADDRESS.

DIARY FROM JUNE 1904 TO JUNE 1905.

JUNE.

Wednesday, 1st. Attended the Annual Diocesan Council in Trinity Church, Martinsburg.

Friday, 3rd. Ordained to the Priesthood in Trinity Church, Martinsburg, Rev. Francis Van Rennsalaer Moore. Sermon by the Rev. J. S. Gibson, of Huntington. Assisted in the Ordination the Rev. S. S. Moore, Rev. J. S. Douglas and Rev. J. S. Gibson.

Sunday, 5th. Preached the Baccalaureate Sermon at the Shepherd Normal College, Shepherdstown, W. Va., and in the evening attended the closing services of the Annual Council in Trinity Church, Martinsburg.

Sunday, 12th. Preached the Baccalaureate Sermon at Washington & Lee University at 11 A. M. In the evening officiated at Lee Memorial Church, Lexington, Va.

Tuesday, 14th. Attended a meeting of the Trustees of the Virginia Theological Seminary.

Sunday, 19th. Preached in Holy Trinity Church, Richmond, Va.

Wednesday, 22nd. Officiated at a mariage in Zion Church, Charles Town.

Saturday, 25th. Officiated at a funeral in Martinsburg.

Sunday, 26th. A. M. Preached in St. Mark's, Berkeley Springs. Confirmed two persons. P. M. Officiated at St. Mark's Church.

Tuesday, 28th. Officiated at a funeral in Charles Town.

JULY.

Sunday, 3rd. A. M. Preached in the Church of the Holy Spirit, Summit Point, W. Va.. P. M. Preached in St. Bartholomew's Church, Leetown.

Wednesday, 6th. Officiated at an infant baptism in Zion Church, Charles Town, at the request of the Rector.

Sunday, 10th. A. M. Preached in Grace Church, Middleway, and celebrated the Holy Communion.

Wednesday, 13th. Officiated at the evening service in Zion Church, Charles Town.

Sunday, 17th. A. M. Preached in the Church of the Holy Spirit, Summit Point and celebrated the Holy Communion. P. M. Preached in St. Bartholomew's Church, Leetown.

Saturday, 30th. Officiated at a funeral at Flint Hill, Va.

AUGUST.

Sunday, 7th. Took part in the services in Zion Church, Charles Town, A. M.

Sunday, 14th. Preached in St. Thomas' Church, White Sulphur Springs, A. M. Officiated at the evening service.

Tuesday, 16th. Preached at Montague's School House, Greenbrier County.

Wednesday, 17th. Officiated at a service at the White Sulphur Springs.

Thursday, 18th. Baptized a child near Montague's School House.

Sunday, 21st. Preached in Zion Church, Charles Town.

Sunday, 28th. Ordained to the Priesthood Rev. Paca Kennedy. Sermon preached by Rev. R. W. Micou D. D. Rev. J. S. Alfriend and Rev. P. B. Stauffer assisted.

SEPTEMBER.

Sunday, 4th. Preached in Christ Church, Chapel on the mountain, baptized one child and one adult and confirmed two. P. M. Preached at St. Andrew's Church on the Mountain.

Sunday, 11th. A. M. Officiated at St. John's Church, Rippon.

Tuesday, 13th. Attended Convocation in St. John's Church, Harpers Ferry.

Sunday, 18th. Preached in St. Paul's Church, Haymarket, Va. While there received a telegram announcing the death of the Rev. C. C. Pearson and had to cancel appointment for evening service in order to reach Berkeley Springs in time for the funeral.

Monday, 19th. Officiated in St. Mark's Church, Berkeley Springs, at the funeral of the Rev. C. C. Pearson.

Tuesday, 20th. Granted Lay Reader's License to Arthur P. Gray, Jr. Officiated at a funeral in Zion Church, Charles Town.

Sunday, 25th. At St. Andrew's on the Mountain baptized three infants, preached and administered the Holy Communion.

OCTOBER.

Saturday, 1st. Laid the corner stone at the Industrial Hall on the Mountain.

Sunday, 2nd. Preached in St. Andrew's Church on the Mountain.

Wednesday, 5th to Tuesday, 25th. Attended the General Convention at Boston, Mass.

Sunday, 9th. A. M. Preached in Grace Church, Boston, Mass. P. M. Preached in St. John's Church, Lawrence, Mass.

Sunday, 23rd. Preached in St. Paul's Church, Newburyport, Mass.

Sunday, 30th. A. M. Preached in Mt. Zion, Church, Hedgesville. P. M. Preached in Trinity Church, Martinsburg.

Monday, 31st. Attended a conference in Washington, D. C.

NOVEMBER.

Wednesday, 9th. Attended a meeting of the Trustees of the Virginia Theological Seminary at Alexandria, Va.

Sunday, 20th. Preached in the School House near Middleway. In the evening preached in Grace Church, Middleway.

Thursday, 24th. Preached in St. Andrew's on the Mountain.

Sunday, 27th. Preached in St. Peter's Church, Port Royal, Va.

DECEMBER.

Sunday, 4th. A. M. Preached in St. Paul's Church, Weston and confirmed eight. P. M. Preached the opening sermon of a mission in Christ Church, Clarksburg.

Monday, 5th. to Sunday, 11th. Conducted a mission in Christ Church, Clarksburg.

Sunday, 11th. 7:30 A. M. Celebrated the Holy Communion. 10:30 A. M. Preached in Christ Church. 4 P. M. Made an address in the Opera House, Clarksburg at a Men's service. 7:30 P. M. Preached in Christ Church.

Monday, 12th. I went to Parkersburg to confer with Bishop Peterkin.

Tuesday, 13th. Visited Reynolds Memorial Hospital, to go over the books of the institution at the request of the Superintendent.

Sunday, 18th. Visited St. Andrew's on the Mountain.

Christmas Day. Assisted in the service in Zion Church, Charles Town.

Sunday, 28th. Preached in the St. Andrew's Church on the Mountain.

JANUARY 1905.

Sunday, 1st. A. M. Preached in Zion Church, Charles Town. P. M. Took part at a service in the Presbyterian Church, Charles Town.

Friday, 6th. Made an address in the Methodist Church, Charles Town.

Sunday, 8th. Assisted in a Union Service in Zion Church, Charles Town.

Monday, 9th. Made an address to the Woman's Auxiliary of Zion Church, Charles Town.

Sunday, 22nd. Made an address on Missions to the children in Zion Church, Charles Town, P. M.

Sunday, 29th. Could not keep my appointment for service in Keyser, receiving a telegram that no place could be secured in which to hold a service.

Monday, 30th. Made an adress to the Junior Auxiliary of Trinity Church, Parkersburg.

Tuesday, 31st. Attended a meeting of the Kanawha Convocation in St. Mark's Church, St. Albans.

FEBRUARY.

Wednesday, 1st. Celebrated the Holy Communion in St. Mark's Church St. Albans.

Thursday, 2nd. Made an address on Missions in St. Mark's Church, St. Albans.

Saturday 4th. I went to the Sheltering Arms Hospital to confer with Mr. Cabell about the work on Cabin Creek.

Sunday, 5th. Preached in St. John's Church, Charleston, and celebrated the Holy Communion.

Sunday, 12th. Preached in St.Philip's Church, Charles Town, and confirmed six.

Monday, 13th. Took part in a funeral in Zion Church, Charles Town.

Wednesday, 15th. Took part in a marriage in Zion Church, Charles Town.

Sunday, 19th. Preached in Trinity Church, Shepherdstown.

Sunday, 26th. Preached in St. John's Church, Harpers Ferry.

MARCH.

Sunday, 5th. Addressed the Sunday School of St. Luke's Church,

Wheeling, 11 A. M. Preached and celebrated the Holy Communion. 3:30 P. M. Made an address to men. 7:30 Preached in St. Luke's.

Monday, 6th, to Saturday, 11th. I conducted a mission in St. Luke's Chrch, Wheeling.

Saturday, 11th. I went to Parkersburg to confer with Bishop Peterkin.

Sunday, 12th. A. M. Preached in Bruce Chapel. 6 P. M. Confirmed at home a very sick person. 7:30 P. M. Preached in Christ Church, Point Pleasant.

Monday, 13th. 3 P. M. Confirmed in Grace Church, Ravenswood, one person. 7:30 P. M. Preached in Grace Church and confirmed two.

Tuesday, 14th. Preached in Whittle Chapel and confirmed one.

Wednesday, 15th. Preached in St. John's Church, Ripley.

Thursday, 16th. Preached in the Church of the Advent, Waverly.

Friday, 17th. Had to cancel appointment at Willow Island on account of the condition of the roads.

Sunday, 19th. Preached in St. Ann's Church, New Martinsville. 7:30 P. M. Preached in St. Paul's Church, Sistersville and confirmed fifteen.

Sunday, 26th. A. M. and P. M. Preached in Holy Trinity Church, Richmond, Va.

Wednesday, 29th. Preached at the Union Service in Holy Trinity Church, Richmond, Va.

APRIL.

Sunday, 2nd. A. M. and P. M. Preached in Zion Church, Charles Town.

Monday, 3rd. Visited the work at St. Andrew's on the Mountain.

Tuesday, 4th. Granted Lay Reader's license to Robert Lee Boyd, of Wheeling.

Saturday, 8th. I went to Port Royal, Va., to attend a conference.

Sunday, 9th. A. M. and P. M. Preached in Holy Trinity Church, Richmond, Va.

Wednesday, 12th. Visited the work on the Mountain at St. Andrew's.

Friday, 14th. Preached in St. Andrew's Church, Wheeling and confirmed fourteen persons.

Sunday, 16th. A. M. Preached in St. Paul's Church, Weston. P. M. Preached in the Church of the Transfiguration, Buckhannon, and confirmed two persons.

Monday, 17th. Preached in Spruce Chapel.

Tuesday, 18th. Preached at St. Paul's Chapel, Lewis County, and confirmed two persons. P. M. Preached in St. Paul's Church, Weston.

In the afternoon I officiated at a funeral at the State Hospital, Weston.

Wednesday, 19th. Preached at Christ Church, Williamstown.

Thursday, 20th. Preached at Grace Church, St. Marys.

Saturday, 22nd. Made a Lenten address in St. Luke's Church, Wheeling.

Sunday, 23rd. Easter. Preached in Trinity Church, Moundsville. Celebrated the Holy Communion and confirmed ten. P. M. Preached in St. Luke's Church, Wheeling, and confirmed twenty.

Sunday, 30th. A. M. Preached in Trinity Church, Parkersburg, and confirmed sixteen. P. M. Preached in the Church of the Good Shepherd, Parkersburg.

MAY.

Tuesday, 2nd. Preached in All Saints Church, Union.

Wednesday, 3rd. Preached in St. Peter's Church, Glen Jean.

Thursday, 4th. Preached in the Methodist Church at Beckley.

Friday, 5th. Preached in the Church of the Ascension, Hinton.

Sunday, 7th. A. M. Preached in St. John's Church, Charleston and confirmed twenty-seven. 3 P. M. Preached in St. Matthew's Church, Kanawha, and confirmed three. 8 P. M. Preached in St. Mark's Church, St. Albans, and confirmed three.

Monday, 8th. Preached in Christ Church, Boone County.

Tuesday, 9th. Preached in Methodist Church at Racine, Boone County.

Wednesday, 10th. Preached in the School House at Paint Creek and confirmed seven.

Thursday, 11th. In the Church of the Incarnation, Ronceverte, I baptized the child of the Rector and preached.

Friday, 12th. Preached in St. James' Church, Lewisburg.

Sunday, 14th. 9:30 A. M. Made an address to the Sunday School of Trinity Church, Huntington. 11 A. M. Preached in Trinity Church, 3:30 P. M. Preached in Grace Church, Kenova, and confirmed two. 8 P. M. preached in Trinity Church, Huntington, and confirmed fifteen.

Monday, 15th. Preached in St. Luke's Church, Charleston, and confirmed seven.

Tuesday, 16th. Made an address to the Auxiliary of St. John's Church, Charleston.

Wednesday, 17th. Attended a meeting of the Board of Trustees of the Sheltering Arms Hospital.

Thursday, 18th. Preached in Trinity Church, Shepherdstown, the closing sermon of the Eastern Convocation.

Sunday, 21st. A. M. Preached in St. John's Church, Rippon, P. M. St. John's Church, Harpers Ferry.

Monday, 22d. I visited St. Andrew's on the Mountain.

Sunday, 27th. Visited Fairview Schoolhouse, Jefferson County.

SUMMARY.

Lay Readers Licensed	3
Baptisms	Infant, 7; adult, 1
Confirmations	167
Marriages	2

Burials			6
Visits made			106
Sermons			133
Addresses			58
Ordination to Priesthood			2
Money Received:—			
Cash from Womans Auxiliary, Charles Town	$ 100 00		
Cash from a friend in Charles Town	3 00		
Cash from Zion Church, Sunday School, Charles Town	32 57		
Cash, "Special for Mountain"	10 00		
Check from Charles Town	50 00		
Cash, St. John's, Charleston	10 00		
Check, St. Andrew's Guild, Charles Town	30 00		
Check, Charles Town	8 00		
Cash, Charles Town	10 06		
Total		$	253 63
Money Paid Out:—			
To Six grants within bounds of the three Convocations	$ 95 00		
Three grants for education	70 00		
Paid for building of Rectory			50 00
Total		$	215 00
Balance on hand		$	38 63

Since the last Council St. Andrew's on the Mountain and Christ Church, Blue Ridge, have been placed together. Twenty acres of land have been secured for the work at St. Andrew's, costing $333.35. The Deaconess' House is being enlarged and improved at a cost of $500.00. The Chapel has had a stone foundation placed under it and the building painted at a cost of $185.00. The Industrial Hall has just been completed. It is built of stone and has cost about $2200.00. This will be a most valuable addition to the plant. The money for all this work has been secured by Rev. B. M. Spurr who has been untiring in his interest in behalf af this Mountain work.

Mr. Thornton T. Perry has given his time and thought to the construction of these buildings and without his interest in this work, it would have been impossible to have built up the "plant."

Rev. Geo. A. Gibbons presented the Annual Report of the Standing Committee as follows:

STANDING COMMITTEE REPORT.

July 2nd, 1904 *to June 3rd,* 1905.

July 2nd, 1904. The Standing Committee recommended the Rev. Paca Kennedy (Deacon) for Ordination to the Priesthood. The Committee at the same time consented to the Ordination and Consecration of the Rev. Robert Strange, D. D., to be Bishop Coadjutor of the Diocese of East Carolina.

Sept. 5, 1904. The Rev. C. Hely Molony, having applied to the Bishop for dispensation from the knowledge of the Latin and Greek languages, and other branches of learning not strictly ecclesiastical,—the Bishop and Examining Chaplains favoring and urging the same—the Standing Committee recommended that the application of Mr. Molony be granted.

Nov. 21st, 1904. The Bishop having laid before the Standing Committee his "urgent reasons for shortening the time of the Candidacy of the Rev. C. Hely Molony, the Committee consented and advised the Bishop in this particular case to shorten the time of his candidacy to the canonical limit. The papers of said Mr. Molony all being in due form and harmony, the Committee recommended him for Ordination to the Deaconate. At this meeting the Committee having received a communication from the Bishop concerning a proposed change in the time for the meeting of this session of the Council, and after due consideration, the Committee unanimously agreed to concur in whatever change of time for the meeting the Bishop should think best to make, and so notified him.

Jan. 2nd. 1905. The Standing Committee consented to the Ordination and Consecration of the Rev. Charles Edward Woodcock, D. D., to be Bishop of the Diocese of Kentucky.

March 7, 1905. Consent was given to the Ordination and Consecration of the Rev. James Henry Darlington, D. D., to be Bishop of the Diocese of Harrisburg.

May 9th, 1905. Mr. T. Getz Hill and Mr. Pierce N. McDonald were recommended for ordination to the Deaconate and the Rev. Walter Howard Meyers for Ordination to the Priesthood. All of which is respectfully submitted.

G. A. GIBBONS.
A. J. WILLIS.
JOHN S. DOUGLAS.
J. GASSMAN.

On motion of Rev. W. P. Chrisman Mr. McCallister, one of the traveling secretaries of the Brotherhood of St. Andrew, addressed the Council in the interest of the Brotherhood work.

The Revised Constitution having been adopted by the last Council was put upon its final passage and adopted by a two-thirds vote of both orders. There was only one dissenting vote.

The Rev. G. A. Gibbons moved to amend Art. viii of the Con-

stitution, by adding in the second line after the word "presbyters," the word or "laymen, communicant and *ex-officio* member of the Council when elected." Referred to the Committee on Constitution and Canons.

The Rev. Mr. Irvine moved to amend the same Article, by inserting after "shall be elected," the words "each year."

Referred to Committee on Constitution and Canons.

The Committee on Constitution and Canons reintroduced the amended and revised Canons, the consideration of which was postponed to this Council by the 22nd Annual Council; and Canon 1 was amended by striking out the words "under the Canons," in the seventh line of section "a," and then adopted.

Canon 2 was adopted after striking out all of the second paragraph after the words "annual Council."

Canon 4 was amended by inserting in the fifth line of paragraph one, after the words "organized mission" these words, "each of whom shall have attained the age of 21 years," and by striking out the words "who is" before the word "each" in certificate, and inserting after the word "each" these words "of whom is," and by striking out the word "place" and inserting therefor the words "parish, congregation or missions," and by adding the word "or" after the words "minister" and "Registrar." As thus amended the Canon was adopted.

On motion the Council adjourned.

THURSDAY, JUNE 1, 1905.

Bishop Gravatt called the Council to order.

The Rev. D. W. Howard read prayers. The Rev. Mr. Gibson was requested to act as Secretary *pro tem* until the Rev. Dr. Roller arrived.

Mr. W. E. Watson was duly certified as Lay Delegate from Christ Church, Fairmont, and took his seat. The Rev. Dr. Roller at this point arrived and assumed his duties.

The Council took up the consideration of Canon 4.

The Rev. Dr. Moore moved to insert before the word Secretary in the fifth line from the bottom of the page the words, "President of the Standing Committee and," and substitute the word "who" for the words "and he" in the fourth line from the bottom. Adopted.

Whereupon Canon 4 as amended was adopted.

Canon 5 was next taken up. The Rev. Mr. Marshall moved to strike out all of the second paragraph after the word "apportionment."

The Rev. Mr. Gibson moved to make this Canon the order of the day for 2:30 p. m.

On motion the Council adjourned until 2:30 o'clock.

2:30 P. M.

The Council convened. Bishop Peterkin in the chair.

The order of the day was taken up, and Mr. Marshall's amendment was adopted on vote by orders, as follows:

Clergy—Ayes, 19; noes, 11.

Lay—Ayes, 21; noes, 6.

The Rev. J. Brittingham offered this amendment: "After the first line in the last paragraph add the following: 'The Diocesan Treasurers shall publish in the Church News each month a statement of the several assessments upon and receipts from the several Parishes and Mission Stations.'

On motion this amendment was laid on the table.

The Rev. Mr. Gibson moved the adoption of the Canon as amended. Carried.

The Secretary read Canon 6.

The Rev. Dr. Moore moved to strike out all of the second paragraph of this Canon, before the words "the income" in the second line, and also to strike out the word "therefrom" and substitute for this word, the words "from the permanent fund," which was accepted. On motion the Canon as amended was adopted.

Canon 7 was read and adopted.

Canon 8 was read and adopted.

Canon 11 was read.

The Rev. Dr. Moore moved to omit the word "baptized" in subsection "b" of paragraph three. On motion this amendment was laid on the table.

The Rev. Dr. Moore moved to strike out the words in paragraph one "preferably communicants in good standing."

On motion the Council adjourned to meet at 9:30 a. m. tomorrow.

FRIDAY, JUNE 2, 1905.

The Bishop called the Council to order.

The minutes of yesterday were read and approved.

The Secretary presented the reports of the Trustees of the Permanent Fund, of the Treasurer of the Diocese, and the Trustee of the Episcopal Fund, which were referred to the Committee on Finance.

The Rev. John S. Gibson offered the following resolution, which was adopted:

Resolved: That the Committee on Assessments is hereby requested in reporting to the 28th Annual Council, to apportion to the several parishes, congregations and missions the sum of $3,000 or thereabouts, apportioned to the Diocese by the Board of Missions, and that such apportionment be made distinct from their assessment for the maintenance of our diocesan missionary work.

The Rev. Mr. Gibson offered this, which was unanimously adopted:

Resolved: The Twenty-eighth Annual Council assembled in Christ Church, Clarksburg, expresses to its rector, Rev. James F. Plummer and to its vestry and people and to the good people of the city its grateful appreciation of the cordial hospitality extended to it and its individual members.

The Rev. J. S. Alfriend cordially invited the Council to meet in Zion Church, Charles Town, next year. The invitation was accepted.

The Rev. Dr. Moore presented the following report of the Executive Committee of the Diocesan Missionary Committee:

REPORT OF THE EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE OF THE DIOCESAN MISSIONARY SOCIETY.

We beg leave to submit the following account of our work.

We have received during the year from all sources $3735.88, as indicated by the Treasurer's report—a most gratifying increase of nearly $550 as compared with the year preceding. Our expenditures have been slightly in excess of receipts, which has resulted in a reduction of our balance to $1071.21, nearly $50 less than that of last year. Attention may again be called to the fact often noted that this seemingly large balance is necessary at this season always because we are approaching the end of a quarter, when probably all of it will be needed.

With this expenditure twenty-three men have been aided, of whom four are no longer engaged in the work in this Diocese. The places served by these men, with more or less frequency, would aggregate nearly if not quite, one hundred and would include a very large proportion of our entire list of communicants. These places have been grouped for purposes of present administration into about twenty mission fields, as more fully shown in the annexed tabulated statement.

These results have been obtained only by such combinations as merge at least seven distinct charges, into circuits with others, that are more or less convenient. The committee is fully aware of the fact that thus some of the charges are entirely too large, thus imposing upon the clergy tasks which they feel are beyond their powers, and yet there has at present seemed no way out of the difficulty.

In consequence of this consolidation, your committee has felt encouraged to take another forward step in the direction of the accomplishment of its long-cherished aim, to provide a salary of at least $800 and a rectory for each of its workers. But, in order that this may be done, it is absolutely necessary that the fields aided shall make some addition to their contributions for self support. The amount of such increase needed is not in any case large and in most fields is distributed among a number of places so as to make a very small addition to the annual contribution at each place, and it is most earnestly hoped that a faithful effort will be made everywhere to see that the scheme is carried out to its most minute detail. Your Committee would press this point with the utmost urgency and would ask that a careful study of the scheme be made and that the work, which, we believe, can in every case be done, shall be efficiently carried out. We refer for fuller information as to the details to the annexed tabulated statement which has been prepared by Bishop Peterkin with great care and labor for the guidance of the Committee and for the information of the Diocese.

In conclusion your Committee would venture to remind the Brethren that, in view of our relinquishment of the further aid of the General Board we have new fields of labor under our care and oversight and additional responsibilities to those which we have borne before. In their relation to our work these are like new possessions, not yet brought under our Master's sway, and that we may bring them, is part of the responsibility resting upon us. To meet this we need new gifts of grace. We must seek to kindle in our hearts new fires of enthusiasm for our Master and His cause, and as their warmth and glow spread out from heart to heart, from life to life, we must strive to deepen and intensify in ourselves and others that spirit of loyalty and devotion to Him, whose we are and whom we serve, which will enable us to feel every burden light, every task a joy, for the privilege of serving him.

SCHEDULE OF DIOCESE MISSIONS—DIOCESE OF WEST VIRGINIA.

NAMES.	SALARIES FROM THE FIELD.	YEAR 1904-'05				1905-'06				REMARKS.
		TOTALS.	Diocesan Missions.	General Boards.	Total Salary.	Obligations of Diocese under Old Schedule.	Expected addition from field.	Obligations of Diocese under New Schedule.	Salaries after September.	
Rev. E. H. Brosius....	Bluefield..... .....$500 Princeton..... 50	$550	$150	$100	$800	$250	$ 10	$240	$800	
Rev. Guy H. Crook....	Ronceverte..... 225 Lewisburg..... 150 Fort Spring ..... 50 Anthony..... ... 60 White Sulphur..... 75	560	200	.....	760	200	60	230	850	Extra of $50 as Rent for Rectory.
Rev. Geo. W. Easter ..	Union..... 450 Alderson..... 10	460	100	200	760	300	.....	340	800	
Rev. Jas. L. Fish.....	Davis.. .. .. 400 Elkins..... Belington..... Parsons..... Bayard ..... 50 Thomas..... 10	460	.....	200	660	200	320	20	800	
Rev. Geo. A. Gibbons.	Romney ..... 100 Morefield ..... 150 Okonoko .. .. 40 Paw Paw ..... Keyser....	290	250 50 con.	200	790	450 50 con.	30	430	800	Convocation adds $50.00.
Rev. J. H. Gibbons....	Pt. Pleasant..... 350 Bruce Chapel ..... 150 Spilman..... ..... 50 Winfield ..... Morgans	550	50	150	750	200	30	220	800	

Rev. J. A. Hiatt.....	Hinton..... 400 Glen Jean..... 150 Beckley..... 50 Etc., Etc.	600	.....	200	800	200	50	1 50	800	
Rev. E. D. Irvine.....	Wellsburg..... 450 St. Johns, Brooke Co 36	486	240	.....	726	240	14	300	800	
Rev. Paca Kennedy....	St. Marys..... 325 Waverly..... 50 Willow Island. .... 50 Ravenswood..... 110 Ripley .. .. 80 Whittle Ch..... Mason City.....	615	.....	.....	615	.....	.....	85	700	Rectory not available.
Rev. C. E. A. Marshall	Shepherdstown .... 600 Duffield.....	600	.....	.....	600	....	.....	100	700	Rectory partially rented.
Rev. W. H. Meyers....	Sutton .... 400 Buckhannon..... 200 Spruce ..... 10 Gassaway ..... 15 Etc., Etc.	625	.....	.....	625	.....	.....	75	700	No Rectory.
	Paint Creek ..... Cabin Creek..... Hansford	500	300	.....	800	300	.....	200	700	No Rectory.
Rev. A. B. Mitchell....	Williamstown ..... 200 Good Shepherd P'bg 400 Grace Tavernersville.	600	200	.....	800	200	50	200	850	Extra allowance of $50 as rent for Rectory.
Rev. C. Hely Molony..	New Martinsville.. 700 Smithfield	700	100	.....	800	100	20	80	800	
Rev. F. Van R. Moore.	Elm Grove ... . 600 New Cumberland .. Chester	600	200	.....	800	200	200	.....	800	Becomes self-supporting and so not counted in sum total.
Rev. H H. Phelps.....	Bramwell..... 600 Eckman..... Elkhorn. ..... Welch, Etc., Etc.	600	200	.....	800	200	325	.....	925	Becomes self-supporting and so not counted in sum total.
Rev. Chas. E. Shaw ...	Berkeley Springs... 300 Hedgesville..... 250	550	50	200	800	250	20	230	800	
Rev. Geo. C. Shaw	Mannington..... 62 Grafton..... .. 250	312	360	100	772	460	28	460	800	

SCHEDULE OF DIOCESE MISSIONS—DIOCESE OF WEST VIRGINIA.—Continued.

NAMES.	SALARIES FROM THE FIELD.	YEAR 1904-'05.				1905-'06.				REMARKS.
		TOTALS.	Diocesan Missions.	General Boards.	Total Salary.	Obligations of Diocese under Old Schedule.	Expected addition from field.	Obligation of Diocese under New Schedule.	Salaries after September.	
Rev. J. B. Stauffer....	Harpers Ferry..... 125 Rippon 150	275	400 75 con.	....	750	400 75 con.	25	425	800	Convocation adds $75.00.
Rev. John Warnock ...	St. Albans..... 200 St. Lukes..... 280 St. Matthews..... 200 Etc., Etc.	680	120	.....	800	120	.....	120	800	
Rev. A. J. Willis.....	Middleway..... 150 Leetown ..... 175 Summit Point..... 225	550	50 100 con.	100	800	150 100 con.	20	130	800	Convocation adds $100.00.
		$11263	$ 3195	$ 1450	$15908	$ 4645	$ 1202	$ 3985	$14900	

It is to be noted that the Missionaries pay their own traveling expenses out of their salaries as given above.

Besides the 19 Mission fields mentioned above (two others listed becoming self-supporting) to be sustained by the Diocese there is a mission church for colored people to which the General Board appropriates $400 (the small congregation raising $50). There are also 16 self supporting charges which raise a salary fund of $18,747. All these the Bishop supplements by grants from his special fund to the amount of $600 So that the total salary fund and in the Diocese amounts to $34,697, of which only $400 is from the General Board.

The results tabulated above have been obtained only by such combinations as merge at least seven distinct charges, into circuits with others that are more or less convenient. The committee is fully aware of the fact that thus some of the charges are entirely too large. thus imposing upon the clergy tasks which they feel are beyond their powers, and yet there has at present seemed no way out of the difficulty.

Parkersburg, W. Va.,
May 25, 1905.

GEO. W. PETERKIN,
For the Committee.

The Rev. Dr. Moore, Diocesan Commissioner, presented this report:

DIOCESE OF WEST VIRGINIA.

Total amount contributed to the Church Building Fund by the Diocese of West Virginia from 1880 to May 1905	$ 755 27
Contributions received May, 1904, to May, 1905:	
Weston (Lewis Co.)—St. Paul's Chapel	$ 3 00
Moundsville—Trinity Church	3 15
Shepherdstown—Trinity Church	2 77
Huntington—Trinity Church	2 00
Bramwell—Holy Trinity Church	6 00
Kenova—Grace Church	1 75
Spilman—Spilman Chapel	3 00
Union—All Saint's Church	2 37
Martinsburg—Trinity Church	3 56
Parkersburg—Good Shepherd Church	3 00
Huntington—Trinity Church	2 00
Weston—St. Paul's Chapel	3 00
Kenova—Grace Church	1 00
Ronceverte—Incarnation Church	3 31
Received the past year	$ 39 91
Loans have been made to churches as follows: Charleston, Huntington, Bramwell, Weston, and Hinton (all paid in full)	$ 8,250 00
Gifts have been made to Churches as follows: Kenova, Charleston, Bramwell, Boone Co., Spilman, and Weston, amounting to	$ 1,000 00

PERMANENT FUND.

Total contributions and donations received from all sources from 1880 to May 1905	$389,767 13
Total amount of gifts made since 1893 to May 1905 to build 367 Churches	$ 63,141 33
Total amount of Loans (1880 to 1905) to build 415 Churches and Rectories	$497,159 39

Copies of the Annual Report of the American Church Building Fund Commission distributed to members of the Council.

Mr. H. H. Moss appeared and took his seat.

The Council embodies in its minutes the following notice of the General Clergy Relief Fund.

GENERAL CLERGY RELIEF FUND.

GEORGE C. THOMAS, TREASURER.

Will Title: "Trustees of the Fund for the Relief of Widows and Orphans of Deceased Clergymen and of Aged, Infirm and Disabled Clergymen of the Protestant Episcopal Church in the United States of America."

The general and official society for clerical relief covering the whole Church. Canon 53, No. VI. The General Convention recommends Quinquagesima Sunday for an annual offering from every Church, and that a percentage of the Communion Alms be given to this fund.

Assistant Treasurer and Financial Agent, Rev. Alfred J. P. McClure, The Church House, Twelfth and Walnut Streets, Philadelphia.

The following Standing Committee of the Diocese was elected by ballot:

The Rev. G. A. Gibbons.
The Rev. Andrew J. Willis.
The Rev. John S. Douglas.
Mr. Isaac H. Strider.
Mr. Jacob Gassman.
Mr. Frank Beckwith.

The following Missionary Committee was elected:

The Bishops—(*Ex-Officio.*)

Rev. S. S. Moore, D. D.
Rev. Jacob Brittingham.
Rev. James F. Plummer.
Mr. B. Mason Ambler.
Mr. Simms Powell.

The Council elected the following Committee on Constitution and Canons:

Rev. John S. Gibson.
Rev. D. W. Howard.
Rev. J. S. Douglas.
Mr. W. S. Laidley.
Mr. Joseph Trapnell.

And this Committee on Education:

Rev. G. W. Easter.
Rev. J. Howard Gibbons.
Rev. A. M. Lewis.
Mr. W. G. Hubbard.
Mr. C. L. Thompson.

And this on Sunday Schools:

Rev. W. P. Chrisman.
Rev. C. E. Shaw.
Dr. G. A. Aschman.
George Rogers.

The order of the day, to-wit: Canon 11, was then taken up.

The amendment of the Rev. Dr. Moore, which was under consideration when the Council adjourned yesterday, was accepted by the Committee on Canons.

Whereupon the Rev. Dr. Roller moved to amend by inserting

the words "preferably communicants in good standing," before the words "to be," in the seventh line.

On motion the Council adjourned to 2:00 p. m.

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2 P. M.

The Bishop called the Council to order.

On motion the vote was taken on Dr. Roller's amendment at once.

A call was made for a vote by orders, with the following result:

Clergy—Ayes, 14; noes, 2.

Lay—Ayes, 9; noes, 3.

Canon 11 as amended was then adopted.

Canon 12 was read.

Rev. Dr. Roller moved to amend by inserting "two Wardens" for the words "a Senior and a Junior Warden."

The motion was laid on the table.

The Rev. Mr. Irvine offered this amendment. Strike out the words "regular communicant," and insert "confirmed persons who have received the Holy Communion within one year."

This amendment was laid on the table.

Canon 13 was adopted.

Canon 14 was adopted.

Canon 15 was adopted.

The Rev. Mr. Gibson moved that the Council give audience to Mr. Alvord on the subject of the Anti-Saloon League, at 5 p. m. Carried.

A new Canon, to be numbered properly when printed, relating to the Disabled Clergy Fund was presented by the Committee.

The Rev. Dr. Moore moved to postpone consideration of the same, which motion was laid on the table.

The Canon was then adopted.

A Canon on Eclesiastical Court to be properly numbered was read by the Committee and adopted.

A Canon, to be numbered, relating to procedure at meetings of Council, was read and adopted.

The Committee was allowed to withdraw the Canon on Courts of Appeal.

The Rev. Mr. Smith, the Educational Secretary of the Board of Missions, was present and invited by the Bishop to address the Council, on the subject of his work.

The Committee asked permission to amend Canon 9 by inserting after the word "part" in the fourth line the words "and form a new Parish." Adopted.

And in Canon 10, to insert "Parish" for "cure" in the sixth line, and to strike out "a majority of" in the twelfth line. Adopted.

Canon 1, Title B., section 1, was amended by striking out "from any cause" in line one, and in the same section, line six, by inserting after the word "writing," these words, "to the Bishop," and in line eight the remainder of the sentence after the word "Church" was stricken out.

On motion the vote by which Canon 11 was adopted was reconsidered and an amendment was then offered, striking out the words "and organized Mission" in the third and fourth line of the first paragraph. This was adopted.

W. S. Laidley moved to strike out the words "it shall not be competent for the congregational meeting to transact any other business than the election of the vestry and." The amendment was adopted.

The Printing Committee to be appointed was authorized to transpose the sentence following the words stricken out, to the end of paragraph one.

The order of the day arrived and Mr. Alvord addressed the Council upon the subject of his work.

Consideration of Canon 1, Title B., was then resumed.

Section 3 was amended by striking out the words "when present" in line eight and by substituting the word "vestry" for "Committee" and "Vestryman" for "Committeeman" wherever they occur in the Canon.

Section 7 was amended by substituting "such" for "each" in line one.

Canon II, Section 1, was amended by substituting the word

"Presbyters" for "Ministers" in line three, and after the word Bishop in the fourth line inserting the words "Bishop Coadjutor."

Section 2, by striking out all after the word Parishes.

Section 6 was omitted and the Committee authorized to make two Canons, one on Missions, and the other on Education, from the contents of this amended Canon.

Canon III was amended by substituting "shall" for "may" in line one, striking out "at his discretion" after the word Bishop, and omitting the three last lines.

The Rev. Mr. Gibson moved that when we adjourn it be to meet at 9:30 a. m. tomorrow, and continue in session until the work of the Council is completed. Carried.

The Rev. G. W. Easter presented the following report on Education:

The Committee on Religious and Theological Education respectfully call the attention of the Clergy and Laity of the Diocese to these facts.

1st. That a yearly contribution to the fund for Religious and Theological Education is required by Canon 8 of every parish and congregation in the Diocese.

2nd. That of the 107 congregations or points in the Diocese at which services are maintained more or less frequently, only 22 have complied with the Canon and that by these only $183.04 have been contributed during the past year.

3rd. That the needs of the Diocese imperatively require larger contributions to this fund, if the Diocese would not continue to be so largely obliged to the Education Society of Virginia for two thirds or more of the money needed to assist candidates for orders in preparing for the work of the ministry.

Resolved. That the Council urges upon the Parishes and Congregations of the Diocese faithful and prompt compliance with the requirement of the Canon.

GEO. W. EASTER.
J. HOWARD GIBBONS.
ARTHUR M. LEWIS.

Mr. R. M. Browne, for the Committee on Finance, presented this report.

REPORT OF THE FINANCE COMMITTEE.

We have examined and audited the report of the Treasurer of the Diocese, the Trustee of the Episcopal and Contingent fund and the Trustees

of the Permanent Fund, and find them correct, certified to, and with proper vouchers.

The Treasurers Balances May 15th are as follows:

Diocesan Missions		$ 1071 21
Widows and Orphans		7438 84
Religious and Theo. Education		72 06
Episcopal and Contingent Fund, June 1st		104 74
Permanent Fund May 15th, 1905		
Securities	$ 34,580 50	
Cash	1,450 82	
Total		$ 36,031 32

We recommend the payment of $10.00 to the Sexton of Christ Church Clarksburg, W. Va.

DR. G. A. ASCHMAN, *Chairman.*
BRUCE HALL.
BARNABAS BRYAN.
R. M. BROWNE.
W. S. LAIDLEY.

The recommendation was adopted.

The Council was invited to a trolley ride, which invitation was accepted for 3 o'clock tomorrow, if the work of the Council would permit.

On motion the Council adjourned.

SATURDAY, JUNE 3, 1905.

Bishop Gravatt called the Council to order.

Prayers were read by the Rev. J. T. Marley.

The minutes of the previous day were read and approved.

The Rev. W. P. Chrisman made this report:

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON SUNDAY SCHOOLS.

SCHOOLS IN THE DIOCESE.

Last Reported	58	
Present Number	57	
Total loss		1

TEACHERS.

Last Reported	373	
Present Number	416	
Total gain		43

SCHOLARS.

Last Reported	3078	
Present Number	3087	
Total gain		9

OFFERINGS.

For Diocesan Missions last year (from 31 schools)	$ 453 47	
For Diocesan Missions this year (from 35 schools)	465 49	
Total Increase		$ 12 02
Lenten Offering last year (from 41 schools)	929 30	
Lenten Offering this year (from 45 schools)	943 38	
Total increase		14 08
Other Offerings last year	1176 88	
Other Offerings this year	1520 79	
Total increase		343 91
GRAND TOTAL OF MONEY RAISED BY THE S. S. FOR ALL PURPOSES		2887 16

W. P. CHRISMAN.
CHAS. E. SHAW.
G. A. ASCHMAN.
GEO. P. ROGERS.

The Rev. A. G. Grinnan made a verbal report as Chairman of the Committee on Episcopal and Permanent Fund, and called attention to the arrearages to this fund.

The Rev. J. F. Plummer moved that the Trustee of the Episcopal Fund be requested to make a supplemental report of monies received to the end of this Council. Carried.

The Rev. J. S. Douglas presented the following report:

The Committee on the State of the Church beg leave to report the following:

There does not seem to have been a time in the history of the Diocese when the church was in more encouraging and promising condition than she is now.

There seems to be a steady movement forward in every branch of her activity. She has been growing steadily since her organization twenty-seven years ago, and today her roots have firmer hold in the soil of parochial life, and her branches are reaching out further into the Missionary field than ever before, and a prominent feature of this growth is the healthiness of it, which is its own evidence of its being watered with the dews of divine blessing.

The financial reports will show a marked increase of money given (not only for current expenses and other parochial work—which in themselves

might only signify an increased selfishness—but for aggressive work in the Diocesan Missionary field and in that yet wider field which is the world.)

There is always a difficulty in taking the spiritual measure of a Church, as of an individual but both can be known as far as man may know, by their fruits, and in these the Church has been abundant. Her hospitals are active in doing the Master's work of relieving the physical ailments of those intrusted to them, and also ministering to their moral and spiritual needs; her children in the Sunday Schools are receiving such thought and attention as they have never received before, and as ways and means are being prayerfully devised for their better instruction and more efficient usefulness, they are responding in a most encouraging way by letting their light shine in abundant measure through their good works. The laborers in the harvest are receiving more souls for their hire, as we see by the increased number of those confirmed by the Bishops during the past year. The Woman's and Junior Auxiliaries are doing invaluable service, and add to this the desire and evident determination of the Church in this Diocese to stand alone in carrying on its missionary work—that the help heretofore received from the Board might go to extend the Kingdom elsewhere, give, we think good proof of a healthy *spiritual* state of the Church.

The Committee deem it within their province to note one of the causes of these encouraging conditions. It is the wide and energetic leadership, under God, of our beloved Bishops. They are not merely sending but they are going. They are clearing the way and the Clergy are feeling—as they cannot but feel—the inspiration of such leadership, and they in their turn are trying to pass on this inspiration to the people committed to their charge.

And so we all, Bishops, Clergy and Laity as we dwell with thankfulness upon the blessings wherewith God has blessed us, and the measure of prosperity He has meted out to us, are not unmindful of the great work yet to be done for the Master and we covet a double portion of His spirit that in the years to come we may do greater works than these.

Respectfully Submitted,

JOHN S. DOUGLAS.
ARTHUR M. LEWIS.
RICHARD HENDERSON.
G. A. NORTHCOTT.

The Canons relating to Discipline were then taken up, and Canon I was amended as follows:

In section 2, insert "the Bishop shall immediately convene the Ecclesiastical Court" after the word "possession" in the fifth line.

Section 3 was stricken out.

In section 6, tenth line, after the word "trial," insert the words "or an appeal."

In section 10, after the word "Diocese' strike out the remainder of the paragraph.

In section 12 after the word "trial" insert these words, "excepting such as are incurred by the defendant in case he is adjudged guilty."

The Canon on Standing Committee on Constitution and Canons, was amended by striking out the words "five persons" and inserting the words "three presbyters and two laymen," and by striking out the last three lines after the word "Committee."

The Canon on Due Proclamation of Canons was amended by striking out the words "parochial" and "of their cures" and changing the word "the" to "their."

On motion the Committee on Constitution and Canons was instructed to conform the language of the Canons of the General Convention printed among the Canons of the Diocese of West Virginia, to that of the same Canons in the new Canons of the General Convention.

The following resolution was adopted:

Resolved, that the Chairman of the Committee on Constitution and Canons and the Secretary of the Diocese be and are hereby authorized to arrange in order, punctuate, re-index, and otherwise edit and print 1,000 copies of the new constitution and canons of the Diocese as amended and adopted by this Council, 750 copies to be bound in paper, and 250 copies at their discretion to be bound in cloth for the use of the Council.

Resolved, that the Rules of Order adopted by this Council be printed and bound with the Constitution and Canons.

Mr. C. P. Flick offered this resolution, which was adopted:

Resolved, that the Treasurers and Trustees of the several funds of this Diocese be, and they are hereby instructed to close their accounts on the 10th day of May of each year and include in their annual reports for the year ending with the preceding 30th day of April all sums of money received within the first ten days of May and carry over to their reports for the ensuing year all sums subsequently received within that year.

The Rev. A. G. Grinnan moved that the Secretary be requested to print the names of the treasurers of the various funds of the Diocese on the second page of the cover of the Journal. Carried.

The Rev. D. W. Howard of the Special Committee on a portion of the Bishop's address presented this report, and the recommendation was adopted:

In recognition of the importance of that portion of the Bishop's address referring to the relation of the Diocese to the General Board and the desirability of relieving that Board of the assistance now given; your Committee makes the following recommendation to this Council.

Resolved, that after the 1st day of September, 1905, the diocese of West Virginia will relieve the Board of Missions of the appropriations heretofore made, consisting of $800 from General Board and $650 from the Am. C. M. T. and that from that time the Diocese shall support its own missionary labors.

DAVID W. HOWARD.
GEO. W. EASTER.
JNO. S. ALFRIEND.
CAMERON L. THOMPSON.
V. A. WEVER.

The following resolution was adopted:

Resolved, that the President of the Standing Committee be and is hereby requested to prepare for printing in the Journal, a page to the memory of the late Rev. C. C. Pearson, so long a faithful and honored member of this Diocese.

The Rev. Mr. Curran offered this, which was adopted:

Resolved, that the Assessment Committee report to the Council each year on the second day of its assembling, the amount of assessment on the several parishes and missions.

The Rev. D. W. Howard offered this:

Resolved that all assessments for the ensuing year, shall be the same as provided for 1904-1905, except Bluefield, Huntington, Kenova, Union, and Williamstown. Adopted.

This resolution was adopted:

Resolved, that the Council desires to express its high appreciation of the services of its Secretary.

The Rev. Dr. Moore presented this report:

The Committee on the Admission of New Parishes has had no matter committed to it.

The Parochial Reports Committee made the following report:

Baptisms, Infants	304
Baptisms, Adults	103
Total	407

Confirmations	308
Marriages	180
Burials	247
Communicants last reported	4,543
Present number	5,124
Baptized Persons	7,987
Families and parts	3,553
Whole Number of Individuals	10,230
Total No. Teachers and Scholars in Sunday Schools	3,503
Total Current Expenses	$ 52,645 95

CONTRIBUTIONS.

Parochial	$ 29,093 42
Diocesan	12,400 52
Total Outside the Diocese	5,743 80
Cash on Hand	3,383 19
Owing to errors in tabulation the aggregate of sums contributed in the Diocese will not be correctly ascertained, but should be approximately	$ 87,000 00
Public Services Sundays	3,714
Public Services other days	2,360
Sittings in Church and Chapels	15,250
Industrial or Parish School Teachers	8
Industrial or Parish Scholars	134
Brotherhoods of St. Andrew	4
Woman's Auxiliary	405
Churches and Chapels	80
Rectories	42
Parish Houses	15
Sunday School Rooms	10
Debt on Property	$ 46,411 19
Due Ministers	265 70
Due Diocesan Missions	57 00
Due Bishop's Fund	118 42
	$ 46,852 31
Catechizings	472
Holy Com. Public	861
Scattered Communicants not otherwise reported less Communicants of St. Andrew's on the Mountain	162

Respectfully submitted by your Committee on Parochial reports, this first day of June, 1905.

JAMES L. FISH.
FRANCIS MOORE.
H. L. ALEXANDER.
BYRAN GORDON.
Committee.

The Rev. Mr. Gibson moved that 600 copies of the Journal be printed. Carried.

On motion, after reading the minutes, and suitable devotions, conducted by the Bishop, the Council adjourned *sine die.*

GEORGE W. PETERKIN,
President.

ROBERT DOUGLAS ROLLER,
Secretary.

MEMORIAL PAGE.

By order of the Council, this page is dedicated to the memory of our lamented brother, the

REV. C. C. PEARSON,

BORN AUG. 13TH, 1827; DIED SEPT. 16TH, 1904.

He served various places in the Diocese, was widely known and universally admired and respected. He was acknowledged one of our best preachers, and in the faithful presentation of the Gospel he did good service for the Master in every post which he occupied. Without personal pretence or affectation, he was genial in disposition and sincere in his friendships.

With a simple faith and unswerving loyalty he served his Master and helped his fellow men, and the Church in West Virginia cherishes and honors his memory.

APPENDIX A.

I. *Report of the Treasurer of the Diocese.*

II. *Report of the Trustees of the Episcopal and Contingent Fund.*

III. *Report of the Trustees of the Permanent Fund.*

TREASURER'S REPORT.

Diocese of West Virginia Council at Clarksburg, May 31, 1905.

The year for Diocesan Missions runs from May 1, 1904, to April 30, 1905.
The amount paid to each fund will be credited to the Parish or Mission every month.

PARISH OR MISSION.	Assessment for Dio. Miss. Apportionment for Gen. Miss.	Paid for Dio. Miss.	Religious and Theo. Education.	Widows and Orphans and Disabl'd Clergy.
Alderson	$ 6.00	$ 4.58	$	$
Ansted	20.00	16.57		
Bayard				
Beury	5.00			
Beckley	6.00	3.00		
Berkeley Springs	25.00	35.00		5.00
Belington				
Bluefield	30.00	30.00		
Blue Ridge, Christ Church				
" " St. Andrew's				
Bramwell	30.00			
Boone Co., St. John's				
Brooke Co., St. John's	5.00	5.00		
Brookside		1.00		
Bruce Chapel	12.00			
Buckhannon	10.00	15.20		2.22
Bunker Hill	5.00	1.58		
Cairo		2.50		
Charles Town, Zion	300.00	348.94	36.79	103.94
" " St. Philip's	10.00	10.00		
" " St. Andrew's	3.00			
Charleston, St. John's	200.00	200.00		
" St. Luke's	8.00	4.89		
" St. Mathew's	8.00	5.00		
Carbon		2.05		
Centralia		5.00		
Chester	10.00		4.50	
Clarksburg, Christ Church	125.00	123.05	10.71	17.60
" St. Thomas				
Clover Lick		8.80		
Cresap's	5.00	7.81		
Davis	8.00	4.75		
Dubree	5.00	2.00		
Duffield				
Eckels				
Elkins	10.00	11.90	5.00	
Fairmont	75.00	102.63		
Fort Spring	5.00			
Glen Jean	10.00	8.00		
Grafton	15.00	16.28		
Harper's Ferry	20.00	40.00	3.00	5.00
Hartford		2.00		
Hedgesville	25.00	25.00		
Hillsboro		2.00		
Hinton	30.00	30.00		
Huntington	80.00	80.00	6.50	42.50
Kenova	7.00	2.00		
Keyser				
Lewisburg	7.00	3.80		
Little Otter		2.50		
Liverpool	3.00			
Madison	5.00			
Mannington	10.00	10.00		
Martinsburg	75.00	170.51	34.77	30.00
McDowell: Eckman	20.00	22.12		
McDowell: Welch				

PARISH OR MISSION.	Assessment for Diocesan Missions. Apportionm't for General Missions.	Paid for Diocesan Missions.	Religious and Theological Education.	Widows and Orphans and Disabled Clergy.
Mason County (Beale)	$.....	$ 15.00	$.....	$.....
Mt. Carbon	5.00	5.00	.....	2.00
Montgomery	15.00	16.75	.....	6.00
Moorefield	20.00	20.00	.....	2.00
Morgantown	50.00	26.19	.....	6.85
Moundsville	40.00	47.25	3.50	6.65
Nelson Parish: Middleway, Leetown, Summit Point	75.00	75.20	1.96	13.59
New Cumberland	.....	6.00	.....	.....
New Martinsville	40.00	40.00	4.93	.....
Newport, Wood Co.	.....	8.32	.....	.....
Nuttall	5.00	12.00	.....	1.00
Okonoko	10.00	10.00	.....	.....
Parsons	.....	.....	.....	.....
Parksburg, Trinity	350.00	350.00	.....	80.30
" Good Shepherd	20.00	117.92	8.00	20.00
" St. Stephen'	3.00	.....	.....	.....
Paw Paw	.....	3.00	2.00	2·00
Pennsboro	.....	.....	.....	.....
Pt. Pleasant	50.00	55.90	.....	7.66
Powellton	20.00	20.00	.....	4.69
Princeton	6.00	.....	.....	.....
Pratt	.....	.....	.....	.....
Ravenswood	10.00	14.00	.....	.67
Ripley	15.00	15.00	.52	.....
*Ripon	10.00	5.00	.....	10.00
Romney, (St. Stephen's—Epiphany)	16.00	17.00	2.00	2.00
Ronceverte	8.00	13.18	3.60	2.82
Shepherdstown	75.00	75.00	4.53	2.93
Smithfield	5.00	.....	.....	.....
Sistersville	40.00	41.33	3.42	12.45
Spilman	10.00	11.00	.....	.....
Spruce	4.00	1.33	.....	.....
St. Mary's	15.00	15.00	.....	.....
St. Albans	10.00	14.50	60.	.40
Sutton	10.00	.....	.....	2.18
Tavernersville	10.00	20.00	.....	.....
Union	50.00	50.00	9.11	8.74
Waverly	10.00	4.00	.....	.....
Wellsburg	25.00	30.65	.....	.....
Weston St. Paul's	75.00	75.97	5.90	13.74
" St. Paul's Chapel	.....	2.36	.....	2.18
Wheeling, St. Matthew's	425.00	456.19	15.00	310.00
" St. Luke's	175.00	175.00	16.70	49.89
" St. Andrew's	15.00	15.28	.....	5.77
" St. Paul's	5.00	15.00	.....	.....
White Sulphur	10.00	.....	.....	.....
Willow Island	5.00	5.00	.....	.....
Williamstown	25.00	17.95	.....	.....
Williamson	.....	2.30	.....	.....
Winfield	.....	.....	.....	.....
Miscellaneous—Holden	.....	3.00	.....	.....
Ferris.....A Friend	.....	5.00	.....	1,000.00
Woman's Mite.....Int. and Earnings	.....	441.85	.....	350.42
Total	$3000.00			
Total Income	.....	$3,735.88	$183.04	$2,133.19
Balance last year	.....	1,127.97	14.02	5,898.15
	.....	$4,863.85	$197.06	$8,031.34
Total Payments	.....	3,792.64	125.00	592.50
Balance on hand May 15, 1905	.....	$1,071.21	$72.06	$7,438.84

*Ripon—$5.00 on last year's assessment.

Payments, Diocesan Missions.

Miss Elizabeth P. Barber	$	120 00
Rev. E. H. Brosius		150 00
Rev. Guy H. Crook		200 00
Rev. G. W. Easter		100 00
Rev. J. L. Fish		75 00
Rev. G. A. Gibbons		250 00
Rev. J. H. Gibbons		50 00
Rev. John S. Gibson		50 00
Rev. A. G. Grinnan		50 00
Rev. E. D. Irvine		240 00
Rev. F. A. Meade		350 00
Rev. W. H. Meyers		125 00
Rev. O. B. Mitchell		200 00
Rev. C. H. Malony		450 00
Rev. F. H. Moore		200 00
Rev. C. C. Pearson		50 00
Rev. H. H. Phelps		33 33
Rev. G. C. Shaw		411 66
Rev. P. B. Stauffer		350 00
Rev. John Warnock		120 00
Rev. A. J. Willis		50 00
Rev. W. J. Williams		25 00
Rev. R. R. Windley		75 00
Rev. O. M. Yeager		25 00
Printing Treasurer's Report 1903 and 1904		7 00
Mission Boxes		35 65
Total	$	3,792 64

Payments, Religious and Theological Education.

P. P. Phillips, Treas	$	125 00

Payments, Widows and Orphans and Disabled Clergy Fund.

Rev. C. M. Campbell	$	150 00
Mrs. W. T. Leavell		75 00
Mrs. Kate W. Lea		150 00
Mrs. R. H. Mason		75 00
Mrs. C. C. Pearson		62 50
Dr. C. W. Walker		80 00
Total Payment	$	592 50

Recapitulation—Ledger Balances.

Widows, Orphans and Disabled Clergy Fund	$	7,438 84

Diocesan Missions		1.071 21
Religious and Theological Education		72 06
Total to be accounted for		$ 8,582 11
Balance in Nat. Ex. Bank of Wheeling	$1,097 88	
Notes and Securities in hands of Treas	2,484 23	
Bonds in hands of Treas	5,000 00—	$ 8,582 11

Respectfully Submitted,
LAWRENCE E. SANDS, Treas.

May 15, 1905.

REPORT OF TRUSTEE OF EPISCOPAL AND CONTINGENT FUNDS.

Beginning June 1st, 1904, and Ending May 31st, 1905.

NAME OF PARISH.	Amount Assessed.	Amount Received.	Amount Paid on Arrears.	Amount Received but not Assessed.
Alderson	$ 6 00	$	$	$
Berkeley Springs	30 00	20 00		
Bluefield	30 00	30 00		
Princeton	6 00			
Bramwell	30 00	30 00		
Eckman and McDowell	20 00	16 84		
Brooke County, St. John's	5 00			
Buckhannon,	10 00	10 00		
Bunker Hill	5 00			
Charleston, St. John's	275 00	275 00		
Charleston, St. Luke's	7 00			
Charleston, St. Matthew's	7 00			
Charles Town, Zion	425 00	425 00		
Charles Town, St. Phillip's	5 00			
St. Andrew's on the Mountain	2 00			
Clarksburg	125 00	10 08		
Cresaps	5 00			
Davis	8 00	8 00		
Elkins Mission	10 00	10 00		
Fairmont	100 00	100 00		
Grafton	15 00	15 00	15 00	
Harpers Ferry	20 00	20 00		
Hedgesville	50 00	50 00	50 00	
Hinton	20 00			
Huntington	100 00	100 00		
Kenova	7 00	7 00		
Lewisburg	10 00	10 00		
Ronceverte	8 00	10 00		
Martinsburg	100 00	100 00		
Nelson Parish } Middleway				
Nelson Parish } Lee Town				
Nelson Parish } Summit Point	90 00	90 00		
Mannington	10 00	5 00		
Moorefield	20 00	20 00		
Romney	16 00	16 00		
Okonoko	10 00	10 00		
Morgantown	50 00			
Moundsville	60 00	60 00		
Nuttallburg	10 00	5 00		
Parkersburg, Trinity	525 00	500 00		
Parkersburg, Good Shepherd	5 00	20 00		
Parkersburg, St. Stephens	2 00			
Tavennersville	3 00	8 00	15 00	
Point Pleasant, Christ	50 00	50 00		
Bruce Chapel	12 00	12 00		
Spillman Mission	10 00	10 00		
Powellton	20 00	23 00		
Ansted	20 00	20 00		
Ravenswood, Grace	10 00	10 00		
Ripley, St. John's	15 00	15 00		
Liverpool, Whittle	2 00			
Ripon	20 00	20 00	20 00	
Sheperdstown	75 00	63 75	6 50	
New Martinsville	40 00	40 00		
Sistersville	40 00	40 00		
Smithfield, Wetzel County	5 00			
Spruce Chapel	4 00	4 00		
St. Albans	10 00	10 00		
Montgomery	15 00	15 00		
St. Mary's	15 00	5 00		
Sutton	10 00			
Union	50 00	46 25		
White Sulphur	10 00			
Fort Spring	5 00	5 00		
Waverly	5 00	2 50		
Wellsburg	25 00	25 00		

REPORT OF TRUSTEE OF EPISCOPAL AND CONTINGENT FUNDS.—Continued.

Beginning June 1st, 1904, and Ending May 31st, 1905.

NAME OF PARISH.	Amount Assessed.	Amount Received.	Amount Paid on Arrears.	Amount Received but not Assessed.
Weston	$ 80 00	$ 80 00	$	$
Wheeling, St. Matthew's	600 00	600 00		
Wheeling, St. Luke's	175 00	175 00		
Wheeling, St. Andrew's	10 00	10 00		
Chester	4 00			
Williamson	5 00			
Wheeling, St. Paul's, Elm Grove	10 00			
Williamstown	15 00			
Willow Island	5 00	5 00	5 00	
Beckley	6 00	3 00		
Beury	5 00			
Du Bree	5 00			
Glen Jean	10 00	8 00		
Immanuel, Mt. Carbon	5 00	5 00		
Clover Lick				20 00
Academy				2 00
Hartford				2 00
New Cumberland				6 00
Cairo				2 50
C. W. Watson, Fairmont				100 00
TOTALS	$ 3665 00	$ 3283 42	$ 111.50	$ 132.50

RECEIPTS.

Amount received on this year's assessment	$ 3,283.42
Amount received on Arrears	111.50
Amount received from Missions not assessed	32.50
Amount received from Mr. C. W. Watson, Fairmont	100.00
Amount received Interest from Permanent Fund	1,386.94
Total	$ 4,914.36

DISBURSEMENTS.

Paid Rt. Rev. G. W. Peterkin	$ 2,000.00
Paid Bishop Coadjutor W. L. Gravatt	2,500.00
Paid R. D. Roller, Secy, (Salary and postage)	109.05
Paid Tribune Company (printing journal)	284.07
Paid Standing Committee and Examining Chaplains	37.29
Paid General Convention Capitation, $32.00 Expense $2.03	134.03
Paid Sexton at Martinsburg	10.00
Printing report	2.00
Paid rent Episcopal residence, Charles Town	300.00
Total	$ 5,376.44

RECAPITULATION.

Balance June 1st. 1904		$ 566.82
Total receipts from every source		4,914.36
		$ 5,481.18
Bishop's Salaries,	$ 4,500.00	
Contingent Expenses	876.44	5,376.44
Balance on hand June 1st, 1905		$ 104.74

Respectfully submitted

R. M. BROWNE,
Trustee.

MONEY RECEIVED DURING COUNCIL AT CLARKSBURG.

SUPPLEMENTARY REPORT.

Trinity, Parkersburg,	$ 25 00
Christ Memorial, Williamstown,	5 00
St. Luke's, Charleston,	8 00
Christ Church, Clarksburg,	114 92
Grace, St. Marys	15 00
Union, Monroe Co.	2 61
Sutton	10 00
	$ 180 53

REPORT OF THE TRUSTEES OF THE PERMANENT FUND OF THE DIOCESE OF WEST VIRGINIA FOR THE PERIOD FROM MAY 18, 1904, *TO MAY* 15, 1905.

Central Banking and Security Company, Parkersburg, W. Va., Treasurer.

By order of Council, the Central Banking & Security Company of Parkersburg was named as treasurer of this Fund. The accounts below include transactions had by the trustees, as well as those occurring with the Treasurer.

The statements below show in the hands of the Treasurer on May 15, 1905, the following:

1. Listed as Investments, pledges, etc.	$ 34,580.50
2. Cash	1,450.82
	36,031.32
The Trustees hold pledges in Parkersburg list	187.50
	$ 36,218.82

Totals reported in 1904:			
1. Investments, pledges, etc.	$33,618.00		
2. Cash on hand	1,913.56		
3. Parkersburg Pledges	250.00		
4. Due from Interest Ac	138.06		35,919.62
Increase since May 18, 1904		$	299.20

DETAILED STATEMENT OF RECEIPTS AND DISBURSEMENTS.

RECEIPTS.

1904.	Interest	
May 18 Bal. cash reported		$ 1,913.56
June 7 Alderson $5. Moundsville 5.15		
H. Ferry 4.25 St. Albans .35		
Sistersville 6.14 Weston 6.37		
Union 1.55 Bramwell 19.50		48.40
Interest Kreps loan	90.00	
July 25 Interest Perkins loan	75.00	
July 27 Bramwell $20 Eckman $10		
Welch 5. (Rev. R. N. Meade		35.00
Clarksburg 1.40 St. Matthews 10		11.40
Int. Coupon Traders Co.	15.00	
Aug. 6 Int. Ogdin 60. Laird 90	150.00	
Aug. 29 Good Shepherd 2. Trinity 4.26		6.26
Sept. 24 Elm Grove 4.66 (Oct 14) Int. Cit. B. A. 60	60.00	4.66
Oct. 14 Int. Gordon 120. Bethel Par. 5.25	125.25	
E. Ruthledge 5. Rev. G. W. Easter 3.42		8.42
Nov. 23 Good Shepherd 3.00		3.00
Dec. 3 Int. Kreps $80 (Dec. 23) same $10	90.00	
Dec. 23 J. S. Bragonier 1.00		1.00
1905.		
Jan. 5 Payment on $ 2000 note H. H. Pennybacker		1,000.00
Interest on same	41.83	
Jan. 21 St. Stephens Romney 1.70 Certificates $43		44.70
Feb. 1 C. C. Martin on subscription (Parkersburg)		62.50
Int. Perkins 75. Gould 360	435.00	
Certificates 33. Int. Ogdin 60	60.00	33.00
Feb. 10 Int. Wolfe	152.25	
Feb. 7 Certifs. 4. (13) cert. $6 (14) 7		
Feb. 18 Certifs. 14. (24) cert. $6		37.00
Feb. 24 Note A. H. Kreps paid $3,000		3,000.00
Interest $40	40.00	
Mar. 3 Certif. 5 (Mar. 20) certificate 2		7.00
Mar. 30 Legacy Miss N. W. McCandlish		150.00

Apr. 3	Int. coupons. Pyth Castle.....	30.00	
Apr. 5	Citizens B. A.	60.00	
Apr. 10.	Certificates 15.50 Gordon int. 120	120.00	15.50
Apr. 28	St. Mary's account note		210.00
Apr. 29	Rev. G. W. Easter		4.13
May 2	Bal. St Mary's note 83. int. 18.25	18.25	83.00
May 4	St. Davids 12.83. St. Johns 5.00.....		17.83
May 9	Rev. A. M. Lewis 5.00 Good Shepherd 5.00..		10.00
May 13	P. C. Eastham, Int. 3. Moundsville 3.70....	3.00	3.70
	Sundry certificates		11.00
	Huntington, Rev. J. S. Gibson 2.00.....		2.00
		1,565.58	6,723.06
			1,565.58
	Total.....		$8,288.64

DISBURSEMENTS..

1904.		
June 7	Paid Mrs. A. B. Campbell for note $1400 and int. of H. E. Morris, et al	$ 1,421.00
July 9	Parkersburg Sentinel Report	13.50
Aug. 8	Refund and protest coupon Traders Co.	16.38
Sept. 19	R. M. Browne, Treasurer, Ac. Bps. Salaries	86.94
Sept. 22	R. M. Browne, Treasurer Ac. Bps. Salaries	500.00
Dec. 14	R. M. Browne, Treasurer, Ac. Bps. Salaries	300.00
1905.		
Feb. 14	R. M. Browne, Treasurer, Ac. Bps. Salaries	500.00
Feb. 25	Loaned W. H. Ogdin on notes	1,000.00
Mar. 23	Loaned M. A. Summers	3,000.00
		6,837.82
	Balance of cash on hand.....	1,450.82
		$ 8.288.64

INTEREST ACCOUNT.

Total amount credited above		$ 1,565.58
Less protested coupon Traders Co. and protest		16.38
		1,549.20
Paid Bishops Salaries	$ 1,386.94	
Paid Sentinel printing report	13.50	
Restored to Investment Account amt. advanced 1904	138.06	
Bal.	10.70	1,549.20

INVESTMENTS, ETC.

List of securities, bonds, notes pledges and contributions, and certificates given or owed to the Fund—by Items.

Notes:—

H. S. Sands, contribution	100.00	
Jos. Ruffner, contribution	100.00	
J. D. Jeffries, contribution	25.00	
Thos. Jeffries contribution	10.00	
W. G. Hubbard contribution	25.00	
Samuel R. Holbert contribution	25.00	
Lucius Hoge contribution	100.00	
Fred L. Hall contribution	50.00	
Mrs. W. H. Hogeman contribution	25.00	
C. D. Emmons contribution	50.00	
P. C. Eastham contribution	50.00	
T. J. Danner contribution	25.00	
Harriet Camp Lounsberry, contribution	10.00	
J. T. Cotten, contribution	200.00	
Christ's Church, Bethel Parish Clarksburg	800.00	
D. M. Bailey, contribution	15.00	
W. P. Wilson, contribution	100.00	
Rebecca & Edith M. Watson, contribution	25.00	
C. L. Thompson, contribution	50.00	
F. B. Enslow contribution	100.00	
Robt. L. Bland, contribution	10.00	
Fannie P. Brady, contribution	100.00	
Simms Powell, contribution	25.00	
Jos. B. Neal, contribution	100.00	
Jas. A. Wetherell, contribution	25.00	
Lawrence E. Sands, contribution	150.00	
		$2,295.00

Pledges—

L. T. Peck	$ 15.00	
L. Merrill	10.00	
R. McEldowney	15.00	
Frank Beckwith	10.00	
R. P. Chew	10.00	
		$ 60.00

Certificates—

No. 276 Citizens Building Association, Parkersburg	$ 2,000.00	
Sundry certificates with coupons attached	325.50	
		$ 2,325.50

Loans—		
W. H. Wolfe, et al	$ 5,000.00	
Jennie L. Laird, et al	3,000.00	
S. L. Gould	6,000.00	
H. H. Pennybacker	1,000.00	
Harry D. Perkins	2,500.00	
N. A. Ogdin	2,000.00	
Hortense & L. E. Morris	1,400.00	
Clifford B. Gordon	4,000.00	
W. H. Ogdin	1,000.00	
M. A. Summers	3,000.00	
		$ 28,900.00
Total amount carried forward		$ 33,580.50
Bonds—		
Bond No. 26 Traders Co., Clarksburg	$ 500.00	
Bond No. 8 Pythian Castle Asso., Wheeling	500.00	
		$ 1,000.00
Total in hands of Central Banking & Security Co.		$ 34,580.50
Balances on subscriptions Parkersburg list in hands of Trustees		
C. C. Martin $62.50 G. L. Watson $125		187.50
		$ 34,768.00

CERTIFICATE.

The Central Banking & Security Company certifies that it had on hand at the close of business on the 15th day of May, 1905, bonds, notes, pledges, and items of credit belonging to the Trustees of the Permanent Fund of the Protestant Episcopal Church for the Diocese of West Virginia ..... $ 34,580.50
and cash to credit of Chairman of Trustees 1,450.82

$ 36,031.32

(Signed) CENTRAL BANKING & SECURITY CO.,
By W. H. OGDIN, Assistant Secretary.

The Trustees again request that all remittances for this fund be made to Central Banking & Security Co., Parkersburg, W. Va.

May 15, 1905.

APPENDIX B.

Parochial Reports for the year ending April 30, 1905. Arranged according to alphabetical Clergy list.

PAROCHIAL REPORTS

For the Year Ending April 30th, 1905.

PAROCHIAL REPORT.

Rev. JNO. S. ALFRIEND, address, Charles Town. Zion Church, St. Andrew's Parish, Jefferson county; date of organization, 1819; present minister took charge March 1, 1902.

Church Officers—Church Wardens, B. C. Washington, Frank Beckwith; other Vestrymen, S. W. Washington, Geo. Eyster, Wm. Packett, Jos. Trapnell, Claiborne Green, Richd. Henderson, Scott Kennedy, Rich. Alexander, Thornton Perry, A. Byrne Hurst; Registrar, S. W. Washington, address Charles Town, Treasurer, S. W. Washington, address Charles Town; Supt. of Sunday Schools, B. C. Washington, Charles Town; Sunday School Secretary and Treasurer, Miss Mary Campbell; Lay Reader, Jos. Trapnell.

Official Acts—Baptisms, infants 9, adults 4, total 13; presented for confirmation since last report 12, marriages 8, burials 12, catechising 20, public services, Sundays 120, other days 150, total 170; Holy Communion, public, 30, private 2, total 32.

Communicants—Number last reported 333, admitted by confirmation 12, added otherwise 3, total gain 15; died 4, total loss 4; net gain 11; present number total 344.

Congregations—Baptized persons connected within Parish 500, confirmed persons connected with Parish 375, families 175, whole number of individuals 700, number of sittings in church 600, number free sittings 100, number sittings in Sunday school room, 150.

Rector's Salary—As pledged from this congregation $1,250.00; total $1,250.00.

Organizations—Sunday Schools, officers and teachers, male 4, female 10, total 14; Pupils, males 36, females 54, total 90; advent offering $34.73, Lenten offering $44.82, other offerings, $44.95, total Sunday School offering $124.50. Brotherhood of St. Andrew, members 10. Woman's Auxiliary, members 70. *Other Organizations*—Library Association 10; Babies Branch Aux. 20; St. Andrew's Guild 30; Mexican Guild 10; Chancel Chapter 10; Junior Auxiliary 10.

Property—Church, brick, insurance $9,000.00, value $13,000; rectory, brick, insurance $2,475.00, value $5,000; Parish house, brick, insurance $1,600.00; value $3,000. *Indebtedness*—On church, chapel, rectory and Parish house $800.00, total indebtedness $800.00.

FINANCIAL REPORT.

Receipts—For all purposes—Cash on hand, per last report $286.98, pew rent $2,132.67, collections in church $1,689.62; money borrowed $768.35, thank offerings $198.00, Sunday School $124.50, Woman's Auxiliary, money $172.00, Woman's Auxiliary boxes, value $78.48, Guilds, or other socities $693.09, income from other sources $210.83, total receipts for all purposes $6,354.52.

Disbursements—(1) *For current expenses*—Salary of rector $1,250.00, other salaries $420.00, ordinary repairs $136.50, interest on debts $21.93, other current expenses $245.83, other objects $5.36, total for current expenses $2,079.62. *Contributions*—(1) *For objects in the Parish*—Communion Alms $92.73; extraordinary repairs and improvements $1,160.86; Parish missions $130.95; maintaining Sunday Schools $48.81; payment on debts for building, &c. $200.00; other objects $374.40; total contributions for objects in the Parish $2,007.75. (2) *For objects in the Diocese*—Salary of Bishops $425.00; Diocesan missions $348.94; convocation missions $117.50; widows and orphans, aged and disabled clergy fund $43.29; religious and theological education $36.79; Sheltering Arms Hospital $51.98; Bishop's special fund $163.50; other objects $354.35; total contributions for objects in the Diocese $1,541.35. (3) *For objects without the Diocese*—Domestic missions general $97.16; Jews $12.72; total domestic missions $109.88; foreign missions general $161.17; for China $40.00; for Mexico $60.00; Brazil $88.00; total foreign missions $349.17; specials, boxes, &c. $78.48; general clergy relief fund $15.11; total contributions for objects without the Diocese $552.64.

Statement—Current expenses raised by congregation as above $2,079.62. *Contributions*—For objects in the Parish, $2,007.75, for objects in the Diocese $1,541.35; for objects without the Diocese $552.64; total contributions $4,101.74; all money raised by the congregation for current expenses and for contributions $6,181.36; cash in hand $54.60.

Remarks—Pew rents pay all current expenses. All Sundays in the year devoted to objects outside of current expenses. St. Andrew's Mission on the Mountain now under the Diocese with Bishop Gravatt in charge. St. Philip's Col'd. Mission is in much better shape and separate report is made by minister in charge. Harewood Mission is under charge of Rector and separate report is made by him.—JNO. S. ALFRIEND, *Rector.*

PAROCHIAL REPORT.

Rev. JNO. S. ALFRIEND, address, Charles Town. St. Andrews Mission, Mountain, Jefferson county; date of organization, 1891, present minister took charge March 1, 1902.

Church Officers—Superintendent of Sunday School, R. W. Trapnell.

Official Acts—Baptisms, infants 4, adults 1, total 5; presented for confirmation since last report 3, marriages 1, burials 1, catechisings 15, public services, Sundays, 25, other days 3, total 53; Holy Communion, public 3, total 3.

Communicants—Number last reported 28, admitted by confirmation 3, restored to communion 6, total gain 9; net gain 9; present number total 37.

Congregations—Baptized persons connected with Parish, (this includes all confirmed persons) 200, confirmed persons connected with Parish 37, families 94, whole number of individuals 375, number sittings in church 150, number free sittings 150, number sittings in Sunday School room 250.

Organizations—Sunday Schools, officers and teachers, male, 2, female 7, total 9; Pupils, male 50, female 100, total 150; Parish schools, officers and teachers 2, scholars 27, total 29. *Other Organizations*—Mothers Meetings 30; Girls Sewing Society 18; Basket Class 12.

Property—Chapel, wood, insurance $600, value $600; Parish House, stone, insurance $1,500, value $2,200; Deaconness House, wood, insurance $600, value $600. Money raised from outside sources $3,817.02. For what objects used: Land and building and salaries.

FINANCIAL REPORT.

Receipts—For all purposes—Collections in church $38.00, contributions from without $3,817.02, total receipts for all purposes $3,855.02.

Disbursements—(1) *For current expenses*—Other salaries $560.67; total for current expenses $560.67. *Contributions*—(1) *For objects in the Parish*—Other objects $25.00, land and industrial hall $3,083.35; total contributions for objects in the Parish $3,108.35. (2) *For objects in the Diocese*—Diocesan missions $4.00; Sheltering Arms Hospital $5.00; total contributions for objects in the Diocese $9.00. (3) *For objects without the Diocese*—Foreign missions general $4.00; total foreign missions $4.00; total contributions for objects without the Diocese $4.00.

Statement—For objects in the Parish $25.00; for objects in the Diocese $9.00; for objects without the Diocese $4.00; total contributions $38.00; all money raised by the congregation for current expenses and for contributions $38.00.

PAROCHIAL REPORT.

Rev. JNO. S. ALFRIEND, address Charles Town. Harewood Mission, Harewood, Jefferson county; present minister took charge March 1, 1902.

Official Acts—Public services, 12.

Congregations—Included in Zion Church.

Organizations—Sunday Schools, officers and teachers, male 2, female 3, total 5; Pupils, male 25, female 15, total 40; total Sunday School offerings for use in Sunday School $5.00.

Property—Public school house.

FINANCIAL REPORT.

Receipts—For all purposes—Collections in church $10; Sunday School $5.00; total receipts for all purposes $15.00.

Disbursements—(1) *For objects in the Parish*—Parish missions $5.00; total contributions for objects in the Parish $5.00. (2) *For objects in the Diocese*—Sheltering Arms Hospital $10.00; total contributions for objects in the Diocese $10.00.

Statement—For objects in the Parish $5.00; for objects in the Diocese $10.00; total of contributions $15.00; all money raised by the congregation for current expenses and for contributions $15.00.

Remarks—This is a mission point with no organization. Sunday School is held every Sunday from Easter to Christmas. The rector of Zion Church holds service and preaches every 2nd Sunday in the month. The public school house is used for Sunday School and services.—JNO. S. ALFRIEND, *Rector.*

PAROCHIAL REPORT.

Rev. MORTON A. BARNES, address Fairmont. Christ Church, Fairmont, Marion county; present minister took charge March 1, 1905.

Church Officers—Church Wardens, J. E. Sands, (senior), Wm. E. Watson, (junior); other Vestrymen J. C. Smith, George De Bolt, J. O. Watson, E. A. Russell, George H. Brobst, Walton Miller, John Henshaw; Registrar E. A. Russell, address Fairmont, W. Va.; Treasurer Geo. Brobst, address Fairmont, W. Va.; Superintendent of Sunday School Wm. H. Sands, M. D., Fairmont, W. Va.; Sunday School Secretary and Treasurer Arthur Brobst.

Official Acts—Baptisms, infants 6, adults 2, total 8; marriages 2, burials 2, public services, Sundays, about 80, other days, about 50, total 130; Holy Communion, public, about 30.

Communicants—Number last reported 124, received by letter 2, restored to communion 8, added otherwise 4, total gain 14; net gain (or loss) 14, present number total 138.

Congregations—Baptized persons connected with Parish about 200, confirmed persons connected with Parish 138, families 50, individuals not thus included about 50, whole number of individuals about 250, number sittings in church 150, number free sittings 150, number sittings in Sunday School room 75.

Rector's Salary—As pledged from this congregation $1,350.00.

Organizations—Sunday Schools, officers and teachers, male 4, female 6, total 10; Pupils, male 20, female 30, total 50; advent offering $18.00, Lenten $25.00, other offerings $50.00, total Sunday School offerings $93.00. Woman's Auxiliary, members 30. Other organizations 20.

Property—Church, brick, insurance $3,000, value $5,000; Sunday School room in church building, yes.

FINANCIAL REPORT.

Receipts—For all purposes—Pledges and subscriptions $1,886.44, collections in church $275.43, Sunday School $93.00, Woman's Auxiliary, money $250.16, Woman's Auxiliary boxes, value $75.00, Guilds, or other societies $101.00, income from other sources $373.48, total receipts for all purposes $3,054.51.

Disbursements—(1) *For current expenses*—Salary of rector $675.00; salary of assistant $60.00; other salaries $390.50; ordinary repairs $53.26; interest on debt $16.00; payment on debts contracted for current expenses $625.69; other current expenses $81.60; total for current expenses $1,902.05. *Contributions—For objects in the Parish*—Communion alms $21.07; building fund $282.65; font fund $101.00; total contributions for objects in the Parish $404.72. *For objects in the Diocese*—Salary of Bishops $100.00; Diocesan missions $25.00; Bishop's special fund $10.00; Miss Fitzhugh $25.00; support of missionary $35.00; total contributions for objects in the Diocese $195.00. (3) *For objects without the Diocese*—Boise $5.00; foreign missions general $22.22; for Japan $30.00; Brazil $5.00; total foreign missions $57.22; specials, boxes, &c., $75.00; periodicals $1.00; total contributions for objects without the Diocese $148.22.

Statement—Current expenses raised by congregation as above $1,902.05; Contributions—For objects in the Parish $404.72; for objects in the Diocese $195.00; for objects without the Diocese $148.22; total of contributions $747.94; all money raised by the congregation for current expenses and for contributions $2,649.99; cash in hand $203.28.

PAROCHIAL REPORT.

Rev. JACOB BRITTINGHAM, address, 66 So. Penn St., Wheeling, W. Va. St. Luke's Church, the Island Parish, Wheeling, Ohio county; date of organization, June 22, 1881; present minister took charge March 3, 1889.

Church Officers—Church Wardens, Lawrence E. Sands, E. B. Bowie; other Vestrymen, W. A. Wilson, C. H. Copp, A. A. Taylor, Wylie Irvin, M. R. Wolff, Thomas Johns, Geo. J. Rogers, H. S. Sands, F. E. Zook, E. E. Hodshon; Registrar, W. A. Wilson, address, The Natl. Exchange Bank Building; Treasurer, Lawrence E. Sands, address, The Natl. Exchange

Bank; Superintendent of Sunday School, Lawrence E. Sands, 43 So. Front St.; Sunday School Secretary and Treasurer, Robert Lee Boyd, Lay Readers, A. A. Taylor, Robert Lee Boyd.

Official Acts—Baptisms, infants 16, adults 3, total 19; presented for confirmation since last report 20, marriages 11, burials 11, catechisings 9, public services, Sundays 94, other days 66, total 160; Holy Communion, public 17, private 2, total 19.

Communicants—Number last reported 260, received by letter 8, admitted by confirmation 20, total gain 28; died 2, transferred 6, removed without letter 10, lapsed 1, total loss 19; net gain 9, present number total 269.

Congregations—Baptized persons connected with Parish 399, confirmed persons connected with Parish 286, families 173, individuals not thus included 27, whole number of individuals 426, number of sittings in church 400, number free sittings 400, number sittings in chapel 200, number sittings in Sunday School room 200.

Rector's Salary—As pledged from this congregation $1,500.

Organizations—Sunday Schools, officers and teachers, male 3, female 7, total 10; Pupils, male 42, female 59; total 101; advent offering $13.20, Lenten offering $40.00, other offerings $50.00, total Sunday School offerings $103.20. Brotherhood of St. Andrew, members 8. Woman's Auxiliary, members 18. *Other Organizations*—Chancel Chapter 16; King's Daughters 45; Junior King's Daughters 18; Junior Brotherhood of St. Andrew 7.

Property—Church, frame, insurance $6,000, value $12,000; rectory, frame, insurance $2,000; value $5,000; Parish house, frame, insurance $4,500, value $9,000; organ, value $2,500; total value insurance $12,500, value $28,500. *Indebtedness*—On church $2,000.

FINANCIAL REPORT.

Receipts—For all purposes—Pledges and subscriptions $1,500, communion alms $28.63, collections in church $2,930.67, thank offerings $1,500, Sunday School $90.00, Woman's Auxiliary, money $69.00, Woman's Auxiliary boxes, value $125.00, Guilds, or other societies $558.58, Bishop's special fund $100.00, total receipts for all purposes $6,901.88.

Disbursements—(1) *For current expenses*—Overdraft from last year $76.41; salary of rector $1,500.00; salary of choir $416.96; other salaries, sexton, $216.00; ordinary repairs and improvements $1,358.21; other current expenses $586.82; Sunday School expenses $50.00; total for current expenses $4,204.40. *Contributions*—(1) *For objects in the Parish*—Communion alms $28.63; extraordinary repairs and improvements $1,500; free kindergarten $164.00; day nursery $25.00; other expenses and charities $369.58; total contributions for objects in the Parish $2,087.21. (2) *For objects in the Diocese*—Salary of Bishops $150.00; Permanent Fund $5.00; Diocesan Missions $175.00; convocation missions $8.00; widows

and orphans, aged and disabled clergy fund $49.89; religious and theological education $16.70; Sheltering Arms Hospital $34.82; Bishop's special fund $100.00; total contributions for objects in the Diocese $539.41. (3) *For objects without the Diocese*—Domestic missions general $54.14; Thro' American Ch. Miss. Society $28.19; total domestic missions $82.33; foreign missions general $47.79; Morrell China scholarship $45.00; Thro' American Ch. Miss. Society $28.19; total foreign missions $120.98; specials, boxes, &c., $149.00; Sunday School Lenten offering $40.00; total contributions for objects without the Diocese $392.31.

Statement—Current expenses raised by congregation as above $3,882.95. Contributions—For objects in the Parish $587.21; for objects in the Diocese $539.41; for objects without the Diocese $392.31; total of contributions $1,518.93; all money raised by the congregation for current expenses and for contributions $5,351.88; cash in hand $321.44.

Remarks—It is a pleasure to report that the Senior Brotherhood has been reorganized and is now engaged in active work, and a Junior Brotherhood has been organized.

PAROCHIAL REPORT.

Rev. E. H. BROSIUS, address, Bluefield, W. Va. Christ Church, Bluefield Parish, Bluefield, Mercer county; date of organization May 20, 1903; present minister took charge December 1, 1901.

Church Officers—Church Wardens, R. A. Lacy, W. H. B. Loving; other Vestrymen, T. H. Becker, E. A. Blake, R. C. Turner, H. A. Mitchell, Walter Perkins; Registrar, H. A. Mitchell, address, Bluefield, W. Va.; Treasurer, T. H. Becker, address, Bluefield, W. Va.; Superintendent of Sunday School E. H. Brosius; Sunday School Secretary and Treasurer E. H. Brosius.

Official Acts—Baptisms, infants 5, total 5; presented for confirmation since last report 1, marriages 1, burials 1, public services, Sundays 79, other days 17, total 96; Holy Communion, public 18, private 1, total 19.

Communicants—Number last reported 106, admitted by confirmation 1, added otherwise 30, total gain 31; died 1, removed without letter 27, total loss 28; net gain 3, present number total 109.

Congregations—Baptized persons connected with Parish 190, confirmed persons connected with Parish 109, families 56, individuals not thus included 13, whole number of individuals 200, number of sittings in church 200, number of free sittings 200.

Rector's Salary—As pledged from this congregation $500.00, from Diocesan missions $150.00, from general board $100.00, as pledged from other congregations $50.00, total $800.00.

Organizations—Sunday Schools, officers and teachers, male 1, female 3,

total 4; Pupils, male 15, female 12, total 27; advent offering $13.12, Lenten offering $23.57, other offerings $20.94, total Sunday School offerings $57.63. *Other Organizations*—Ladies Guild; Chancel Chapter; Choir.

Property—Church, wood, insurance $1,500, value $2,000; rectory, wood, insurance $800, value $1,500; dwelling, wood, insurance $1,000, value $1,500; total value $5,000. *Indebtedness*—On other property (dwelling) $3,000, total indebtedness $3,000.

FINANCIAL REPORT.

Receipts—For all purposes—Cash on hand, per last report $55.52, pledges and subscriptions $758.95, collections in church $93.76, money borrowed $3,000.00, Easter offerings $186.30, Sunday School $57.63, Communion alms $17.54, Guilds, or other societies $466.66, contributions from without $93.14, income from other sources, rent, $78.00, total receipts for all purposes $4,807.50.

Disbursements—(1) *For current expenses*—Salary of rector $536.77; other salaries $95.45; ordinary repairs $18.25; interest on debt $8.90; other current expenses $80.25; total for current expenses $739.62. *Contributions*—(1) *For objects in the Parish*—Communion alms $17.54; extraordinary repairs and improvements $370.35; maintaining Sunday Schools $44.51; payment on debts for building and organ $3,312.00; choir $110.10; Chancel Chapel $10.00; total contributions for objects in the Parish $3,864.50. (2) *For objects in the Diocese*—Salary of Bishops $30.00; Diocesan missions $30.00; convocation missions $8.00; Sheltering Arms Hospital $5.43; total contributions for objects in the Diocese $73.43. (3) *For objects without the Diocese*—Domestic missions general $15.00; total domestic missions $15.00; foreign missions general $15.00; total foreign missions $15.00; total contributions for objects without the Diocese $30.00.

Statement—Current expenses raised by congregation as above $739.62. Contributions—For objects in the Parish $864.50; for objects in the Diocese $73.43; for objects without the Diocese $30.00; total contributions $967.93; all money raised by the congregation for current expenses and for contributions $1,707.55; receipts $1,807.50; cash in hand $99.95.

PAROCHIAL REPORT.

Rev. E. H. BROSIUS, address, Bluefield, W. Va. Heavenly Rest Church, Heavenly Rest Mission, Princeton, Mercer county; present minister took charge December 1, 1901.

Church Officers—Church Warden, H. B. Barber; Registrar, H. B. Barber, Princeton, W. Va.; Treasurer, H. B. Barber.

Official Acts—Baptisms, infants 3, total 3; public services, Sundays 11, other days 1, total 12; Holy Communion, public 4, total 4.

Communicants—Number last reported 18, added otherwise 1, total gain 1, removed without letter 2, total loss 2; net loss 1, present number total 17.

Congregations—Baptized persons connected with Parish, (this includes all confirmed persons) 19, confirmed persons connected with Parish 17, families 8, number sittings in church 150.

Rector's Salary—As pledged from this congregation $25.00, from Diocesan missions $150.00, from general board $100.00, as pledged from other congregations $525.00; total $800.00.

FINANCIAL REPORT.

Receipts—For all purposes—Collections in church $34.55, total receipts for all purposes $34.55.

Disbursements—(1) *For current expenses*—Salary of rector $10.30; ordinary repairs $12.25; total for current expenses $22.55. *Contributions*—(2) *For objects in the Diocese*—Salary of Bishops $6.00; Diocesan missions $6.00; total contributions for objects in the Diocese $12.00.

Statement—Current expenses raised by congregation as above $22.55. Contributions—For objects in the Diocese $12.00; total of contributions $12.00; all money raised by the congregation for current expenses and for contributions $34.55.

PAROCHIAL REPORT.

Rev. C. M. CAMPBELL, address, Racine. Christ's Church, Short Creek, Boone county; present minister took charge April 1, 1902.

Official Acts—Marriages 1, burials 1, public services, Sundays 1, total 1.

Communicants—Number last reported 2, present number total 2.

Congregations—Baptized persons connected with Parish, (this includes all confirmed persons) 8, confirmed persons connected with Parish 4, families 3, individuals not thus included 4, whole number of individuals 12, number of sittings in church 80, number of free sittings 80.

Property—Church, log, value $400, total value $400.

FINANCIAL REPORT.

Receipts—For all purposes—Total receipts for all purposes $2.00.

Contributions—(2) *For objects in the Diocese*—Bishop's special fund $2.00; total contributions for objects in the Diocese $2.00.

Statement—For objects in the Diocese $2.00; total of contributions $2.00; all money raised by the congregation for current expenses and for contributions $2.00.

Remarks—A Sunday School was kept up with the minister and his wife as teachers from June to November with an average attendance of 22. The pupils were so irregular that the roll was soon abandoned and only the total number present each Sunday recorded. A festival was gotten up last summer, the proceeds of which, $10.00, was given to the minister. Also, the Bishop sends word to credit Boone with $2.00 for his special fund. No money has been raised by the congregation as such. On Monday and Tuesday, May 8th and 9th, just passed, we had a very pleasant visit from Bishop Gravatt. He preached in Christ's Church the first night, and the second in the Methodist Church at Racine. I have not been able to visit Bull Creek since the last report. I understand, however, there are still left 7 baptized and 3 confirmed persons in two families. Other services and the Holy Communion were announced at Christ's Church, but not held for lack of attendance.

PAROCHIAL REPORT.

Rev. WILSON PAGE CHRISMAN, address, Moundsville, W. Va. Trinity Church, Trinity Parish, Moundsville, Marshall county; date of organization 1848; present minister took charge June 1, 1902.

Church Officers—Church Wardens, V. A. Weaver, Friend Cox; other Vestrymen, A. J. Martin, J. T. Gallaher, C. L. Walton, H. B. Tyler, J. M. Sanders, W. B. Williams, J. R. Logan; Registrar, John T. Gallaher, address, Moundsville, W. Va.; Treasurer, C. L. Walton, address, Moundsville, W. Va.; Superintendent of Sunday School W. P. Chrisman, Moundsville, W. Va.; Sunday School Secretary and Treasurer H. B. Tyler, Moundsville, W. Va.

Official Acts—Baptisms, infants 12, adults 2, total 14; presented for confirmation since last report 10, marriages 4, burials 2, public services, Sundays 105, other days 106, total 211; Holy Communion, public 35, total 35.

Communicants—Number last reported 64, received by letter 1, admitted by confirmation 10, restored to communion 3, added otherwise 7, total gain 21; removed without letter 8, lapsed 3, total loss 11; net gain 10, present number total 74.

Congregations—Baptized persons connected with Parish, (this includes all confirmed persons) 166, confirmed persons connected with Parish 89, families 52, individuals not thus included 35, whole number of individuals 170, number of scattered communicants in your section not connected with any Parish 11, number sittings in church 200, number free sittings 200, number sittings in chapel 25, number sittings in Sunday School room 225.

Rector's Salary—As pledged from this congregation $1,250.00, total $1,250.00.

Organizations—Sunday Schools, officers and teachers, male 3, female 10, total 13; Pupils, male 55, female 79, total 134; advent offering $32.25; Lenten offering $51.55, other offerings $79.29, total Sunday School offerings $163.09. *Other Organizations*—Trinity Guild; (a) Industrial Chapter; (b) Chancel Chapter.

Property—Church, frame, insurance $4,000.00, value $8,000.00; rectory, frame, $2,000.00, value $5,000.00; Parish house, brick, insurance $5,000.00, value $20,000.00, total value, insurance $11,000.00, value $33,000.00. *Indebtedness*—On Parish house $3,450.00, other debts $350.00, total indebtedness $3,800.00.

FINANCIAL REPORT.

Receipts—For all purposes—Cash on hand, per last report $48.84, pledges and subscriptions $801.00, collections in church $954.93, Sunday School $163.09, Guilds, or other societies $197.96, total receipts for all purposes $2,165.82.

Disbursements—(1) *For current expenses*—Salary of rector $1,250.00; other salaries $52.00; other current expenses $521.19; total for current expenses $1,823.19. *Contributions*—(1) *For objects in the Parish*—Communion alms $20.08; total contributions for objects in the Parish $20.08. (2) *For objects in the Diocese*—Salary of Bishops $60.00; permanent fund $3.70; Diocesan missions $47.25; Convocation missions $18.00; widows and orphans, aged and disabled clergy fund $6.65; religious and theological education $1.92; Sheltering Arms Hospital $8.69; Theological Seminary $4.98; total contributions for objects in the Diocese $151.19. (3) *For objects without the Diocese*—Domestic missions general $47.77; colored people $1.85; Indians 50 cents; deaf and dumb $3.50; Jews $3.35; Thro' American Ch. Miss. Society $2.20; total domestic missions $59.17; foreign missions general $37.78; for Mexico $2.45; Brazil $1.00; Cuba $1.57; total foreign missions $42.80; American Church Building Fund $1.14; General Clergy Relief Fund $5.00; Bible and Prayer Book Society $3.85; total contributions for objects without the Diocese $111.96.

Statement—Current expenses raised by congregation as above $1,823.19. Contributions—For objects in the Parish $20.08; for objects in the Diocese $151.19; for objects without the Diocese $111.96; total of contributions $283.23; all money raised by the congregation for current expenses and for contributions $2,106.42; cash in hand $59.40.

Rev. WILSON PAGE CHRISMAN, address Moundsville, W. Va. Grace Church, Cresap's Valley Mission, Cresaps, Marshall county; date of organization, 1881; present minister took charge November 17, 1904.

Church Officers—Missionary Committee, A. Q. Whittaker, Quincy

Cresap, R. M. Gossett, Thos. Kemp; Registrar, Quincy Cresap, address Graysville, W. Va.; Treasurer, R. M. Gossett, address Graysville, W. Va.

Official Acts—Burials 1, public services 4, total 4.

Communicants—(These statistics are from last report). Number last reported 9, present number total 9.

Congregations—Baptized persons connected with Parish, (this includes all confirmed persons) 18, confirmed persons connected with Parish 12, families 7, number sittings in church 75, number of free sittings 75.

Property—Church, frame, value $1,000.00.

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Receipts—For all purposes—Collections in church $10.81, total receipts for all purposes $10.81.

Disbursements—(1) *For current expenses*—Other current expenses $1.00; total for current expenses $1.00. *Contributions*—(2) *For objects in the Diocese*—Diocesan missions $7.81; convocation missions $2.00; total contributions for objects in the Diocese $9.81.

Statement—Current expenses raised by congregation as above $1.00. Contributions—For objects in the Diocese $9.81; total of contributions $9.81; all money raised by the congregation for current expenses and for contributions $10.81.

PAROCHIAL REPORT.

Rev. GUY H. CROOK, address Ronceverte. Incarnation Church, Greenbrier Parish, Ronceverte, Greenbrier county; present minister took charge June 23, 1901.

Church Officers—Church Wardens, C. N. Simms, F. A. Hauck; other Vestrymen, A. B. C. Bray, J. W. P. Eagle, Fred Buchanon; Registrar, A. B. C. Bray, address Ronceverte; Treasurer, A. B. C. Bray, address Ronceverte; Superintendent of Sunday School, Mrs. Geo. T. Brew, Ronceverte; Sunday School Secretary and Treasurer Miss May Templeton.

Official Acts—Baptisms, infants 1, total 1; presented for confirmation since last report 6, catechisings 3, public services, Sundays 32, other days 21, total 53; Holy Communion, public 6, total 6.

Communicants—Number last reported 21, admitted by confirmation 6, added otherwise 5, total gain 11; removed without letter 1, total loss 1, net gain 10, present number total 31.

Congregations—Baptized persons connected with Parish, (this includes all confirmed persons) 45, confirmed persons connected with Parish 31, families 16, whole number of individuals 45, number of sittings in church 80, number free sittings 80.

Rector's Salary—As pledged from this congregation $150, from Diocesan missions $200, as pledged from other congregations $410, total $760.

Organizations—Sunday Schools, officers and teachers, female 2, total 2; pupils, male 8, female 13, total 21; Lenten offering $17.79, other offerings, $17.00, total Sunday School offerings $34.79.

Property—Church, wood, insurance $500, value $1,050; rectory, wood, insurance $1,500, value $2,500; building lots, value $800, total value $4,350. *Indebtedness*—On rectory, $1,700, total indebtedness $1,700.

FINANCIAL REPORT.

Receipts—For all purposes—Pledges and subscriptions $207.13, collections in church $166.10, Guilds, or other societies $60.00, income from other sources $287.50, total receipts for all purposes $720.73.

Disbursements—(1) *For current expenses*—Salary of rector $150.00; interest on debt $90.00; other current expenses $27.00; rent $120.00; total for current expenses $387.00. *Contributions*—(1) *For objects in the Parish*—Extraordinary repairs and improvements $53.64; payment on debts for building, &c, $200.00; other objects $23.00; total contributions for objects in the Parish $246.64. (2) *For objects in the Diocese*—Salary of Bishops $10.00; Diocesan missions $13.18; widows and orphans, aged and disabled clergy fund $2.82; religious and theological education $3.60; Sheltering Arms Hospital $9.30; Theological Seminary $1.71; total contributions for objects in the Diocese $40.61. (3) *For objects without the Diocese*—Domestic missions general $3.40; colored people $2.56; Indians 80 cents; deaf and dumb $2.17; total domestic missions $8.93; foreign missions general $2.04; total foreign missions $2.04; American Church Building Fund $3.31; General Clergy Relief Fund $2.20; total contributions for objects without the Diocese $16.48.

Statement—Current expenses raised by congregation as above $387.00. Contributions—For objects in the Parish $276.64; for objects in the Diocese $40.61; for objects without the Diocese $16.48; total of contributions $333.73; all money raised by the congregation for current expenses and for contributions $720.73.

Remarks—Ronceverte is the only place which I have been able to put into operation the system recommended by the Bishop and while it does not make a perfect report owing to the limited number of services it shows its effectiveness in comparison with reports from other congregations.

PAROCHIAL REPORT.

Rev. GUY H. CROOK, address, Ronceverte. St. James Church, Greenbrier Parish, Lewisburg, Greenbrier county; present minister took charge June 23, 1901.

Church Officers—Church Wardens, D. C. T. Davis, Jr., K. M. Snyder; other Vestrymen, J. W. Harris, H. Frazier, H. L. Van Sickler; Registrar, H. L. Van Sickler, address Lewisburg; Treasurer, K. M. Snyder, address Lewisburg.

Official Acts—Baptisms, infants 1, total 1; marriages 1, burials 1, public services, Sundays 31, other days 7, total 38; Holy Communion, public 8, total 8.

Communicants—Number last reported 24, added otherwise 2, total gain 2; net gain 2; present number total 26.

Congregations—Baptized persons connected with Parish, (this includes all confirmed persons) 44, confirmed persons connected with Parish 26, families 14, indivduals not this included 1, number of scattered communicants in your section not connected with any Parish 1, number of sittings in church 200, number free sittings 200.

Rector's Salary—As pledged from this congregation $225, from Diocesan missions $200; as pledged from other congregations $335, total $760.

Organizations—Ladies Guild.

Property—Church, wood, insurance $1,200, value $2,000; rectory, wood, value $1,200, total value $3,200. *Indebtedness*—On church $42.00, due on Diocesan assessments for missions $7.00 on Diocessan assessment for Bishop's fund $10.00, total indebtedness $59.00.

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Receipts—For all purposes—Pledges and subscriptions $156.10, collections in church $34.20, income from other sources $96.00, total receipts for all purposes $286.30.

Disbursements—(1) *For current expenses*—Salary of rector $225.00; insurance $25.00; other current expenses $9.00; total for current expenses $259.00. *Contributions*—(2) *For objects in the Diocese*—Salary of Bishops $10.00; Diocesan missions $7.00; widows and orphans, aged and disabled clergy fund $2.00; Theological Seminary $2.00; total contributions for objects in the Diocese $21.00. (3) *For objects without the Diocese*—Domestic missions general $2.25; total domestic missions $2.25; foreign missions general $1.85; total foreign missions $1.85; general clergy relief fund $2.20; total contributions for objects without the Diocese $6.30.

Statement—Current expenses raised by congregation as above $259.00. Contributions—For objects in the Diocese $21.00; for objects without the Diocese $6.30; total of contributions $27.30; total $286.30.

PAROCHIAL REPORT.

Rev. GUY H. CROOK, address, Ronceverte, Pocahontas Mission, Marlinton, Pocahontas county; not organized; present minister took charge June 23, 1901.

Official Acts—Public services, Sundays 1, other days 4, total 5.

Communicants—No report. Present number total 11.

Congregations—Baptized persons connected with Parish, (this includes all confirmed persons) 16, confirmed persons connected with Parish 11, families 5, whole number of individuals 16.

Rector's Salary—Nothing. From Diocesan missions $200.00, as pledged from other congregations $560.00, total $760.00.

Property—Building fund $325, total value $325.

Remarks—No organization. It is our intention to build a church this summer.

PAROCHIAL REPORT.

Rev. GUY H. CROOK, address, Ronceverte. Grace Church, Pocahontas Co. Mission, Cloverlick, Pocahontas county; present minister took charge June 23, 1901.

Communicants—Number last reported 5, present number total 5.

Congregations—Baptized persons connected with Parish, (this includes all confirmed persons) 12, confirmed persons connected with Parish 5, families 4, individuals not thus included 1, whole number of individuals 12, number of scattered communicants in your section 7, number sittings in church 175, number free sittings 175.

Property—Church, wood, value $1,000, total value $1,000.

FINANCIAL REPORT.

Receipts—For all purposes—Collections in church $4.23, total receipts for all purposes $4.23.

Contributions—For objects in the Diocese—Diocesan missions $4.23, total contributions for objects in the Diocese $4.23.

Statement—For objects in the Diocese $4.23, all money raised by the congregation for current expenses and for contributions $4.23.

PAROCHIAL REPORT.

Rev. GUY H. CROOK, address, Ronceverte. Holy Comforter Church, Greenbrier Parish, Fort Spring, Greenbrier county; present minister took charge June 23, 1901.

Church Officers—Church Warden, D. Y. Huddlestun; Registrar, D. Y. Huddlestun, address Fort Spring; Treasurer D. Y. Huddlestun, address Fort Spring; Superintendent of Sunday School, Union S. S.

Official Acts—Public services, Sundays 9, other days 11, total 20.

Communicants—Number last reported 8, received by letter 1, total gain 1; removed without letter 1, total loss 1, present number total 8.

Congregations—Baptized persons connected with Parish, (this includes all confirmed persons) 11, confirmed persons connected with Parish 9, families 4, whole number of individuals 11.

Rector's Salary—As pledged from this congregation $50.00, from Diocesan missions $200.00; as pledged from other congregations $510.00, total $760.00.

Property—Building fund $30.00, total value $30.00. *Indebtedness*—Due on Diocesan assessments for mission $5.00, due on Diocesan assessment for Bishop's fund $5.00, total indebtedness $10.00.

FINANCIAL REPORT.

Receipts—For all purposes—Pledges and subscriptions $50.00, collections in church $16.00, total receipts for all purposes $66.00.

Disbursements—(1) *For current expenses*—Salary of rector $50.00. *Contributions*—(2) *For objects in the Diocese*—Salary of Bishops $5.00, Diocesan missions $5.00, widows and orphans, aged and disabled clergy fund $2.00, Sheltering Arms Hospital $1.00, Theological Seminary $2.00, Bishop's special fund $1.00.

Statement—Current expenses raised by congregation as above $50.00; for objects in the Diocese $16.00; total of contributions $16.00; all money raised by the congregation for current expenses and for contributions $66.00.

PAROCHIAL REPORT.

Rev. GUY H. CROOK, address, Ronceverte. Hillsboro Church, Pocahontas Mission, Academy, Pocahontas county; present minister took charge June 23, 1901.

Church Officers—No organization.

Official Acts—Public services 2, total 2.

Communicants—Number last reported 3, removed without letter 2, total loss 2, net loss 2; present number total 1.

Congregations—Baptized persons connected with Parish, (this includes all confirmed persons) 5, confirmed persons connected with Parish 1, families 1.

PAROCHIAL REPORT.

Rev. GUY H. CROOK, address, Ronceverte. Pocahontas Co. Mission, Huntersvile, Pocahontas county; no organization; present minister took charge June 23, 1901.

Official Acts—Public services, Sundays 1, total 1.

Communicants—Number last reported 4, present number total 4.

PAROCHIAL REPORT.

Rev. GUY H. CROOK, address, Ronceverte. Greenbrier Parish, Anthony, Greenbrier county; date of organization 1904; present minister took charge 1904.

Official Acts—Public services, Sundays 12, total 12.

Communicants—Present number total 1.

Congregations—Baptized persons connected with Parish, (this includes all confirmed persons) 5, confirmed persons connected with Parish 1, families 1, whole number of individuals 5.

Rector's Salary—As pledged from this congregation $60.00, from Diocesan missions $200.00, as pledged from other congregations $500.00, total $760.00.

FINANCIAL REPORT.

Receipts—For all purposes—Pledges and subscriptions $60.00, total receipts for all purposes $60.00.

Disbursements—For current expenses—Salary of rector $60.00, total for current expenses $60.00.

Statement—Current expenses raised by congregation as above $60.00; all money raised by the congregation for current expenses and for contributions $60.00.

Remarks—This place is not organized. The services are held at Hendersons lumber camp. They have organized a Sunday School during the past month but I have no statistics from it.

PAROCHIAL REPORT.

Rev. GUY H. CROOK address, Ronceverte. St. Thomas Church, Greenbrier Parish, White Sulphur, Greenbrier county; present minister took charge June 10, 1902.

Church Officers—Vestrymen, R. Cary Montague; Superintendent of Sunday Schools, R. Cary Montague, White Sulphur Springs, Mrs. T. F. Dickson, White Sulphur Springs; Sunday School Secretary and Treasurer, Miss Montague, Frank Atkinson; Lay Reader, R. Cary Montague.

Official Acts—Baptisms, infants 1, adults 3, total 4; presented for confirmation since last report 2, marriages 1, catechisings 4, public services, Sundays 18, other days 21, total 39; Holy Communion, public 4, total 4.

Communicants—Number last reported 41, admitted by confirmation 2, total gain 2; net gain 2, present number total 43.

Congregations—Baptized persons connected with Parish, (this includes all confirmed persons) 80, confirmed persons connected with Parish 44, families 21, individuals not thus included 65, whole number of individuals 145, number sittings in church 500, number free sittings 500.

Rector's Salary—As pledged from this congregation $75.00, from Diocesan missions $200.00, as pledged from other congregations $485.00, total $760.00.

Organizations—Sunday Schools, officers and teachers, male, No. 1, 2, female 3, total 5; pupils, male, 14, female 21, total 35; No. 2, officers and teachers, male 1, female 2, total 3; pupils, male 20, female 30, total 50. *Location of Schools mentioned above*—No. 1 at White Sulphur, No. 2 at Oakhurst.

Property—Church, wood, value $10,000, total value $10,000.

FINANCIAL REPORT.

Receipts—For all purposes—Pledges and subscriptions $75.00, collections in church $7.35, total receipts for all purposes $82.35. Does not include the St. Thomas Ch. in White Sulphur grounds.

Disbursements—For current expenses—Salary of rector $75.00. *Contributions*—(1) *For objects in the Diocese*—Salary of Bishops $2.10; Diocesan missions $2.15; Theological Seminary $1.05; total contributions for objects in the Diocese $5.30. *For objects without the Diocese*—(2) For Japan $2.05; total foreign missions $2.05; total contributions for objects without the Diocese $2.05.

Statement—Current expenses raised by congregation as above $75.00. Contributions—For objects in the Diocese $5.30; for objects without the Diocese $2.05; total of contributions $7.35; all money raised by the congregation for current expenses and for contributions $82.35.

Remarks—The foregoing does not reprpesent the entire work of the congregation but so far as I have been able to get reports. There is some cash in hand but I do not know how much. Report of confirmation includes those omitted last year.

PAROCHIAL REPORT.

Rev. T. J. OLIVER CURRAN address, Wheeling. St. Andrew's Church, Wheeling, Ohio county; present minister took charge October, 1900.

Church Officers—Vestrymen, Wm. A. Carroll, Wm. Weatherall, Robt. Smith; Registrar, Wm. A. Carroll, address 3809 Jacob St.; Treasurer Wm. A. Carroll; Superintendent of Sunday School Wm. A. Carroll; Sunday School Secretary and Treasurer, Wm. A. Carroll.

Official Acts—Baptisms, infants 17, adults 9, total 26; presented for confirmation since last report 14, marriages 4, burials 10, catechisings 48, public services, Sundays 115, other days 85, total 200; Holy Communion, public 45, total 45.

Communicants—Number last reported 75, admitted by confirmation 14, total gain 14; net gain 14, present number total 89.

Congregations—Baptized persons connected with Parish, (this includes

all confirmed persons) 226, confirmed persons connected with Parish 89, families 36, individuals not thus included 28, whole number of individuals 379.

Rector's Salary—As pledged from this congregation $1,300; total $1,300.

Organizations—Sunday Schools, officers and teachers, male 2, female 8, total 10; pupils, male 58, female 85, total 153; Advent offering $7.50, Lenten offering $29.00, other offerings $138.26, $96.90, total Sunday School offerings $271.66; Brotherhood of St. Andrew, members 4. *Other organizations*—St. Andrew's Guild.

Property—Church, wood, insurance $3,500.

FINANCIAL REPORT.

Receipts—For all purposes—Cash on hand, per last report $769.30, pledges and subscriptions $274.05, pew rent $119.49, collections in church $22.01, Sunday School $271.66; Guilds, or other societies $543.71, contributions from without $1,455.39, total receipts for all purposes $3,455.61.

Disbursements—(1) *For current expenses*—Salary of rector $1,272.44; other salaries $104.00; ordinary repairs $113.32; other current expenses $260.59; other objects $227.27; total for current expenses $1,977.62. *Contributions—For objects in the Parish*—Maintaining Sunday Schools $165; total contributions for object in the Parish $165. (2) *For objects in the Diocese*—Salary of Bishops $10.00; Diocesan missions 15; convocation missions $5.00; widows and orphans, aged and disabled clergy fund $5.00; Sheltering Arms Hospital $20.00; total contributions for objects in the Diocese $55.00. *For objects without the Diocese*—Domestic missions general $7.50; total domestic missions $7.50; foreign missions general $7.50; total foreign missions $7.50; total contributions for objects without the Diocese $15.00.

Statement—Current expenses raised by congregation as above $1,228.47; Contributions—For objects in the Parish $1,158.47; for objects in the Diocese $55.00; for objects without the Diocese $15.00; total of contributions $1,228.47; all money raised by the congregation for current expenses and for contributions $1,228.47.

Remarks—"Statement" does not allow, nor does any part of the form allow for the showing of our saving and collecting for a specific purpose, &c. We have in the bank saved and raised by the congregation, viz. $1,242.99 for a building fund. This amount though is included in total shown on No. 1 page 6 of this form.

PAROCHIAL REPORT.

Rev. CREETUS A. DOWELL, address, Sistersville, W. Va. St. Paul's Church, Tyler Parish, Sistersville, Tyler county; present minister took charge April, 1903.

Church Officers—Church Wardens, Geo. F. Durham, Geo. B. Van Arnen; other Vestrymen, F. D. McCoy, Geo. W. Stocking, Ed. Roome, D. E. Thoenen, J. H. McCoy; Registrar D. E. Thoenen, address Sistersville; Treasurer D. E. Thoenen, address Sistersville; Superintendent of Sunday Schools, the Rector; Sunday School Secretary and Treasurer, Mabel Choderdon.

Official Acts—Baptisms, adults 5, total 5; presented for confirmation since last report 15, marriages 2, burials 7, catechisings 25, public services, Sundays 106, other days 91, total 197; Holy Communion, public 21, total 21.

Communicants—Number last reported 41, received by letter 1, admitted by confirmation 15, added otherwise 7, total gain 23; died 2, removed without letter 6, total loss 8; net gain 15, present number total 56.

Congregations—Baptized persons connected with Parish, (this includes all confirmed persons) 72, confirmed persons connected with Parish 59, families 21, individuals not thus included 14, whole number of individuals 72, number of scattered communicants in your section not connected with any Parish 4, number sittings in church 175, number free sittings 175.

Rector's Salary—As pledged from this congregation $800, as pledged from other congregations $100, total $900.

Organizations—Sunday School, officers and teachers, male 1, female 8, total 9; pupils, male 34, female 63, total 97; Advent offering $4.80, Lenten offering $11.93, other offerings $25.68, total Sunday School offerings $42.41. *Other organizations*—Woman's Auxiliary, members 14; Woman's Guild, 13; Young Woman's Guild, 15.

Property—Church, frame, insurance $1,400, value $3,500; rectory, frame, insurance $2,000, value $3,500; organ, insurance $600, value $1,000; total value $8,000. *Indebtedness*—Other debts $143, total indebtedness $143.

FINANCIAL REPORT.

Receipts—For all purposes—Pledges and subscriptions $1,313.41, collections in church $488.50, Sunday School $42.41, Woman's Auxiliary, money $11.80, Woman's Auxiliary boxes, value $30.00, Guilds, or other societies $257.72, income from other sources $461.15, total receipts for all purposes $2,584.99.

Disbursements—For current expenses—Salary of rector $800.00; other salaries $192.00; insurance $62.10; ordinary repairs $20.37; other current expenses $97.99; other objects $13.75; total for current expenses $1,185.21. *Contributions*—(1) *For objects in the Parish*—Communion alms $29.49; extraordinary repairs and improvements $1,119.45; maintaining Sunday Schools $50.68; other objects $106.55; total contributions for objects in the Parish $1,306.17. (2) *For objects in the Diocese*—Salary of Bishops $40.00; permanent fund $6.14, Diocesan missions $41.33, convocation missions $3.00; widows and orphans, aged and disabled clergy fund

$12.45; religious and theological education $3.42; Sheltering Arms Hospital $7.35; box to Sheltering Arms Hospital $30.00; total contributions for objects in the Diocese $143.69. (3) *For objects without the Diocese*—Domestic missions general $10.65; total domestic missions $10.65; foreign missions general $10.65; Brazil $9.35; Cuba $9.35; total foreign missions $29.35; united offering $6.19; total contributions for objects without the Diocese $46.19.

Statement—Current expenses raised by congregation as above $1,137.08. Contributions—For objects in the Parish $1,258.03; for objects in the Diocese $143.69; for objects without the Diocese $46.19; total of contributions $1,447.91; all money raised by the congregation for current expenses and for contributions $2,584.99; cash in hand $23.17.

Remarks—I have been conducting a monthly service on a week night at Cairo since the first of February. We have here 5 families, 16 baptized persons and 13 communicants. They have made, during this time, the following contributions: Bishop's fund $2.50; Diocesan missions $2.50; current expenses $8.25. Total $13.25.

PAROCHIAL REPORT.

Rev. CREETUS A. DOWELL, address, Sistersville. Pennsboro Mission, Pennsboro, Ritchie county; present minister took charge June, 1904.

Official Acts—Presented for confirmation since last report 1, public services, Sundays 1, other days 11, total 12.

Communicants—Number last reported 4, admitted by confirmation 1, total gain 1; net gain 1, present number total 5.

Congregations—Baptized persons connected with Parish, (this includes all confirmed persons) 15, confirmed persons connected with Parish 5, families 4, individuals not this included 2, whole number of individuals 22.

Rector's Salary—As pledged from this congregation $100.00, as pledged from other congregations $800.00, total $900.00

FINANCIAL REPORT.

Receipts—For all purposes—Pledges and subscriptions $85.00, collections in church $19.25, total receipts for all purposes $104.25.

Disbursements—(1) *For current expenses*—Salary of rector $85.00; other current expenses $19.25; total for current expenses $104.25.

Statement—Current expenses raised by congregation as above $104.25; all money raised by the congregation for current expenses and for contributions $104.25.

PAROCHIAL REPORT.

Rev. JOHN S. DOUGLAS, address, Martinsburg, W. Va. Trinity Church, Norborne Parish, Martinsburg, Berkeley county; date of organization, 1769; present minister took charge October 1, 1899.

Church Officers—Church Wardens, Capt. W. B. Colston, C. A. Miller; other Vestrymen, John E. Boyd, Alexander Parks, Arthur M. Gilbert, Dr. A. Andrews, Edward Rutledge; Registrar, Capt. W. B. Colston, address Martinsburg, W. Va.; Treasurer, Edward Rutledge, address Martinsburg, W. Va.; Superintendent of Sunday Schools, Edward Rutledge, Martinsburg, W. Va.; Sunday School Secretary and Treasurer, C. A. Miller; Lay Reader, Edward Rutledge.

Official Acts—Baptisms, infants 13, adults 1, total 14; presented for confirmation since last report 6, marriages 6, burials 11, catechisings 20, public services, Sundays 104, other days 83, total 187; Holy Communion, public 20, private 2, total 22.

Communicants—Number last reported 165, received by letter 2, admitted by confirmation 6, added otherwise 11, total gain 19; died 1, removed without letter 5, lapsed 3, total loss 9; net gain 10, present number total 175.

Congregations—Baptized persons connected with Parish 290, confirmed persons connected with Parish 188, families 90, individuals not thus included 20, whole number of individuals 310, number sittings in church 350, number free sittings 350, number sittings in Sunday School room 250.

Rector's Salary—As pledged from this congregation $900; total $900.

Organizations—Sunday School, officers and teachers, male 4, female 9, total 13; pupils, male 45, female 65, total 110; Advent offering $26.28, Lenten offering $43.83, other offerings $33.98, total Sunday School offerings $104.09; Woman's Auxiliary, members 31. *Other organizations*—Trinity Church Guild, under which are working seven different Chapters.

Property—Church, brick, insurance $5,000, value $10,000; rectory, stone, insurance $1,500, value $7,000; Parish house, new, brick, insurance $2,000, value $5,000; new stable, brick, insurance $500, value $500; organ, insurance $1,800, value $1,800. *Indebtedness*—On Parish house, stable and approaches $4,536.32. Other debts—For extraordinary repairs and improvements and for current expenses $500.00.

FINANCIAL REPORT.

Receipts—For all purposes—Cash on hand, per last report $540.62, pledges and subscriptions $1,414.93, collections in church $73.73, $1.019.67, money borrowed $500, Sunday School $104.09, Woman's Auxiliary, money $114.35, Woman's Auxiliary boxes, value $25.00, Guilds or other societies $701.29, total receipts for all purposes $4,493.68.

Disbursements—(1) *For current expenses*—Salary of rector $900; other

salaries $251; ordinary repairs $67.45; interest on debt $246.73; payment on debts contracted for current expenses $316.73; other objects $21.19; total for current expenses $1,803.10. *Contributions*—(1) *For objects in the Parish*—Communion alms $45.62; extraordinary repairs and improvements $634.71; Parish missions $3.68; maintaining Sunday Schools $33.88; payment on debts for buildings, &c. $463.68; other objects $64.23; total contributions for objects in the Parish $1,245.80. (2) *For objects in the Diocese*—Salary of Bishops $100; permanent fund $5.00; Diocesan missions $255.26; convocation missions $43.62; widows and orphans, aged and disabled clergy fund $30.00; religious and theological education $34.77; Sheltering Arms Hospital $14.29; Theological Seminary $9.82; Bishop's special fund $37.82; Sunday School work in Diocese $12.85; total contributions for objects in the Diocese $543.43. (3) *For objects without the Diocese*—Domestic missions general $12.85; colored people $5.72; Indians $9.89; Jews $5.43; Thro' American Ch. Miss. Society $6.45; total domestic missions $40.34; foreign missions general 55.70, $2.00; for Mexico $2.11; Brazil $76.72; Cuba $1.51; total foreign missions $138.04; specials, boxes, &c., $25.00; American Church Building Fund $3.56; Bible and Prayer Book Society $3.44; Spirit of Missions $4.75; total contributions for objects without the Diocese $215.13.

Statement—Current expenses raised by congregation as above $1,803.10. Contributions—For objects in the Parish $1,245.80; for objects in the Diocese $543.43; for objects without the Diocese $215.13; total of contributions $2,004.36; all money raised by the congregation for current expenses and for contributions $3,807.46; cash in hand $686.22.

Remarks—Much the greater part of the cash on hand is for the purpose of curtailing the debt of the Parish.

PAROCHIAL REPORT.

Rev. JOHN S. DOUGLAS address, Martinsburg. Christ Church, Bunker Hill Mission, Bunker Hill, Berkeley county; date of organization 1769; present minister took charge October 1, 1899.

Church Officers—Church Warden, Jeph S. Morgan; other Vestrymen, J. K. Cunningham, William Seibert, Richard T. Whiting; Registrar, J. K. Cunningham, address Rest, Va.; Treasurer Zeph S. Morgan, address Inwood, W. Va.

Official Acts—Public services, Sundays 20, other days 1, total 21; Holy Communion, public 2, total 2.

Communicants—Number last reported 7, added otherwise 1, total gain 1; present number total 8.

Congregations—Baptized persons connected with Parish 16, confirmed

persons connected with Parish 8, families 4, individuals not thus included 2, whole number of individuals 18, number sittings in church 200, number free sittings 200.

Property—Church, brick, value $1,500.

FINANCIAL REPORT.

Receipts—For all purposes—Collections in church $16.11; total receipts for all purposes $16.11.

Disbursements—(1) *For current expenses*—Total for current expenses $2.65. *Contributions*—(2) *For objects in the Diocese*—Diocesan missions $7.35; total contributions for objects in the Diocese $7.35. (3) *For objects without the Diocese*—Indians 55 cents; Jews 40 cents; total domestic missions 95 cents; foreign missions general $1.67; Thro' American Ch. Miss. Society $1.02; Brazil 55 cents; total foreign missions $3.24; Bible and Prayer Book Society 80 cents; total contributions for objects without the Diocese $4.99.

Statement—Current expenses raised by congregations as above $3.77. Contributions—For objects in the Diocese $7.35; for objects without the Diocese $4.99; total of contributions $12.34; all money raised by the congregation for current expenses and for contributions $16.11; cash in hand $1.12.

PAROCHIAL REPORT.

Rev. GEO. W. EASTER, address, Union, W. Va. All Saints Church, All Saints Parish, Union, Monroe county; present minister took charge April 18, 1892.

Church Officers—Church, All Saints, Union; Wardens, Chas. A. Shanklin and E. S. McNeer; other Vestrymen, Jos. D. Logan, Col. Jno. M. Rowan, A. S. Johnston, Guy A. McClearn, Richd. Mason McNeer; Registrar, A. S. Johnston, address Union, W. Va.; Treasurer, Guy A. McClearn, address Union, W. Va.; Superintendent of Sunday School, A. S. Johnston, Union, W. Va.

Official Acts—Baptisms, infants 4, total 4; marriages 8, burials 3, catechisings 40, public services, Sundays 85, other days 184, total 269; Holy Communion, public 15, total 15.

Communicants—Number last reported 35, admitted by confirmation 1, added otherwise 3, total gain 4; died 1, transferred 1, suspended 1, not otherwise accounted for 1, total loss 4; present number total 35.

Congregations—Baptized persons connected with Parish 76; confirmed persons connected with Parish 42; families 19, individuals not thus includ-

ed 3, whole number of indivduals 90, number of sittings in church 180, number free sittings 180.

Rectors' Salary—As pledged from this congregation $450.00, from Diocesan missions $100.00, from general board $200.00, total $750.00.

Organizations—Sunday School, officers and teachers, male 2, female 1, total 3; pupils, male 21, female 29, total 50; Advent offering $20.35, Lenten offering $29.73, Sheltering Arms $2.20, Cuba and Brazil $4.37, total Sunday School offerings $56.65. *Other organizations*—Parish Aid Society.

Property—Church, wood, insurance $1,350, value $2,500; rectory, brick and wood, value $1,200; other property, value $250, total value $3,950. *Indebtedness*—Due the minister $101, total indebtedness $101.

FINANCIAL REPORT.

Receipts—For all purposes—Cash on hand, per last report $5.75, pledges and subscriptions $413.95, collections in church $264.33, Sunday School $56.65, Guilds, or other societies $6.67, total receipts for all purposes $747.35.

Disbursements—(1) *For current expenses*—Salary of rector $381.50; other salaries $32.00; insurance $27.00; ordinary repairs $7.50; other current expenses $5.50; total for current expenses $453.50. *Contributions*—(1) *For objects in the Parish*—Communion alms so used $5.00; maintaining Sunday Schools $17.26; other objects $6.74; total contributions for objects in the Parish $29.00. (2) *For objects in the Diocese*—Salary of Bishops $50.00; permanent fund $9.10; Diocesan missions $50.00; convocation $5.00; widows and orphans, aged and disabled clergy fund $8.74; religious and theological education $9.11; Sheltering Arms Hospital $9.10; Theological Seminary $1.10; Bishop's special fund $2.00; Childrens Home (Charleston) $1.00; expense account 10 cents; total contributions for objects in the Diocese $145.25. (3) *For objects without the Diocese*—Congregation $18.65; domestic missions general, S. S. $15.13; colored people 59 cents; Indians $3.13; deaf and dumb $3.80; Thro. American Ch. Miss. Society $10.28; total domestic missions $51.58; foreign missions general, congregation $17.92; Sunday School $15.12; For Mexico $3.83; Brazil, congregation $2.10, Sunday School $2.18; Cuba, congregation $2.10, Sunday School $2.19; total foreign missions $45.44; American Church Building Fund $2.37; General Clergy Relief Fund $2.55; Bible and Prayer Book Society $11.03; Cold. Rectory in Balto. (Bragg) $1.00; total contributions for objects without the Diocese $113.97.

Statement—Current expenses raised by congregation as above $453.50. Contributions—For objects in the Parish $29.00; for objects in the Diocese $145.25; for objects without the Diocese $113.97; total of contributions $288.22; all money raised by the congregation for current expenses and for contributions $741.72; cash in hand $5.63.

PAROCHIAL REPORT.

Rev. GEO. W. EASTER, address, Union, W. Va. Messiah Church, All Saints Parish, Alderson, Monroe county; present minister resumed charge July 1, 1903.

Church Officers—Church Warden, C. W. Vandegrift; Treasurer, C. W. Vandegrift.

Official Acts—Public services, Sundays 5, total 5; Holy Communion, public 2, total 2.

Communicants—Number last reported 4, present number total 4.

Congregations—Baptized persons connected with Parish 5, confirmed persons connected with Parish 5, families 3, whole number of individuals 9, number sittings in church 100, number free sittings 100.

Property—Church, wood, value $1,300; other property, value $75; total value $1,375. *Indebtedness*—Due on Diocesan assessment for missions 39c., due on Diocesan assessment for Bishop's fund $2.25, total indebtedness $3.84.

FINANCIAL REPORT.

Receipts—For all purposes—Pledges and subscriptions $13.00, collections in church $11.53, total receipts for all purposes $24.53.

Disbursements—(1) *For current expenses*—Salary of rector $10.00; other current expenses $1.27; total for current expenses $11.27. *Contributions*—(2) *For objects in the Diocese*—Salary of Bishops $3.75; Diocesan missions $5.61; total contributions for objects in the Diocese $9.36. (3) *For objects without the Diocese*—Domestic missions general $1.95; total domestic missions $1.95; foreign missions general $1.95; total foreign missions $1.95; total contributions for objects without the Diocese $3.90.

Statement—Current expenses raised by congregation as above $11.27. Contributions—For objects in the Diocese $9.36; for objects without the Diocese $3.90; total of contributions $13.26; all money raised by the congregation for current expenses and for contributions $24.53.

PAROCHIAL REPORT.

Rev. JAMES L. FISH, address, Davis. St. Barnabas Church, Davis Parish, Davis, Tucker county; date of organization 1894; present minister took charge 1899.

Church Officers—Church, St. Barnabas; Wardens, A. G. McNeill, R. Knox; other Vestrymen, H. H. Weaver, H. N. Warden, Dr. W. H. Holmes, John Fish, John W. Felton, H. N. Walters, J. M. Smith; Registrar, H. H. Weaver, address Davis, W. Va.; Treasurer, H. H. Weaver; Superintendent of Sunday School, John L. Fish, Davis, W. Va.; Sunday School Secretary and Treasurer, Miss M. Weimer, Davis, W. Va.

Official Acts—Baptisms, infants 2, adults 2, total 4; presented for confirmation since last report 7, marriages 2, burials 2, catechisings 12, public services, Sundays 69, other days 40, total 109; Holy Communion, public 13, total 13.

Communicants—Number last reported 37, admitted by confirmation 7, total gain 7; died 1, removed without letter 1, total loss 2; net gain 5, present number total 42.

Congregations—Baptized persons connected with Parish 66, confirmed persons connected with Parish 45, families 24, individuals not thus included 10, whole number of individuals 76, number sittings in church 120, number free sittings 120.

Rector's Salary—As pledged from this congregation $400, from general board $200; total $600.

Organizations—Sunday School, officers and teachers, male 1, female 3, total 4; pupils, male 15, female 15, total 30; other offerings $11.00, total Sunday School offerings $11.00. *Other organizations*—Ladies Guild, whose object is to raise money for the general fund of the church.

Property—Church, frame, insurance $750, value $1,400; rectory, frame, insurance $2,000, value $3,000; total insurance $2.750, value $4,400. *Indebtedness*—On rectory $2,000, due the minister 33 cents, total indebtedness $2,033.

FINANCIAL REPORT.

Receipts—For all purposes—Cash on hand, per last report $119.00; pledges and subscriptions $251.14, collections in church $121.09, Sunday School $11.00, Ladies Guild $130.81, contributions from without $45.00, total receipts for all purposes $678.04.

Disbursements—(1) *For current expenses*—Salary of rector $365.00; insurance $30.00; ordinary repairs $8.10; interest on debt $60.00; other current expenses $45.13; total for current expenses $508.23. *Contributions*—(1) *For objects in the Parish*—Extraordinary repairs and improvements $130.81; maintaining Sunday Schools $11.00; total contributions for objects in the Parish $141.81. (2) *For objects in the Diocese*—Salary of Bishops $8.00; Diocesan missions $8.00; convocation missions $2.00; Sheltering Arms Hospital $2.00; total contributions for objects in the Diocese $20.00. (3) *For objects without the Diocese*—Domestic missions general $8.00; total contributions for objects without the Diocese $8.00.

Statement—Current expenses raised by congregation as above $508.23. Contributions—For objects in the Parish $141.81; for objects in the Diocese $20.00; for objects without the Diocese $8.00; total of contributions $169.81; all money raised by the congregation for current expenses and for contributions $678.04.

PAROCHIAL REPORT.

Rev. JAMES LOGAN FISH, address, Davis. Grace Church, Elkins Parish, Elkins, Randolph county; present minister took charge February, 1905.

Church Officers—Church, Grace; Wardens, Chas. H. Scott, W. Greer; other Vestrymen, John Lingumfelter, I. P. Gassman, J. Lacy Dunlap; Registrar, John Lingumfelter, address Elkins; Treasurer, I. P. Gassman, address, Elkins; Superintendent of Sunday Schools, J. Lacy Dunlap; Sunday School Secretary and Treasurer, Charles Stiffler.

Official Acts—Baptisms, infants 3, adults 2, total 5; presented for confirmation since last report 6, marriages 1, burials 1, public services, Sundays 60, other days 43, total 103; Holy Communion, public 12, total 12.

Communicants—Number last reported 35, admitted by confirmation 6, added otherwise 2, total gain 8; died 1, transferred 2, removed without letter 6, total loss 9; net loss 1, present number total 34.

Congregations—Baptized persons connected with Parish 70, confirmed persons connected with Parish 35, families 25, individuals not thus included 8, whole number of individuals 78, number of scattered communicants in your section not connected with any Parish 6, number sittings in church 120, number free sittings 120.

Rectors Salary—As pledged from this congregation $215.70.

Organizations—Sunday School, officers and teachers, male 1, female 1, total 2; pupils, male 4, female 6, total 10. *Other organizations*—Young Ladies Guild.

Property—Church, frame, insurance $1,400, value $2,900; rectory, frame, insurance $1,000, value $2,000; one lot, value $1,100, total value, insurance $2,400, value $5,000. *Indebtedness*—On rectory $1,750, other debts, one lot $1,100, total indebtedness $2,850.

FINANCIAL REPORT.

Receipts—For all purposes—Cash on hand, per last report $105.35, pledges and subscriptions $225.50, collections in church $173.95, interest from investments $25.00, Woman's Auxiliary box, value $5.60, Guilds or other societies $66.50, income from other sources $5.00, total receipts for all purposes $606.90.

Disbursements—(1) *For current expenses*—Salary of rector $215.70; insurance $12.00; interest on debt $174.00; other current expenses $58.40; box to Sheltering Arms Hospital $5.60; total for current expenses $465.70. *Contributions*—(1) *For objects in the Parish*—Extraordinary repairs and improvements $96.40; total contributions for objects in the Parish $96.40. (2) *For objects in the Diocese*—Salary of Bishops $10.00; Diocesan Missions $10.00; religious and theological education $5.00; Sheltering Arms Hospital $9.80; total contributions for objects in the Diocese $34.80. (3)

For objects without the Diocese—Domestic missions general $10.00; total contributions for objects without the Diocese $10.00.

Statement—Current expenses raised by congregation as above $465.70. Contributions—For objects in the Parish $96.40; for objects in the Diocese $34.80; for objects without the Diocese $10.00; total of contributions $141.20; all money raised by the congregation for current expenses and for contributions $606.90.

Remarks—We have four Communicants at Huttonsville but have, as yet, not held services at this place. They are interested in the church at Elkins. We have also some Communicants at Harding, Coalton and Beverly.

PAROCHIAL REPORT.

Rev. JAMES L. FISH, address, Davis. Trinity Mission, Belington, Barbour county.

Official Acts—Public services, 12, total 12.

Communicants—Number last reported 10, removed without letter 4, total loss 4; present number total 6.

Congregations—Baptized persons connected with Parish 9, confirmed persons connected with Parish 6, families 3.

Remarks—Since Mr. Meade removed to Virginia no services have been held at Belington, but arrangements are being made to again take up services. We have completed the purchase of a lot for church, for which we paid $500. The lot is well situated. There have been several removals which have seriously affected the income.

PAROCHIAL REPORT.

Rev. JAMES L. FISH, address, Davis. Thomas Mission, Thomas, Tucker county; not organized; present minister took charge July, 1902.

Church Officers—Church, Thomas Mission; Registrar, H. Z. Blockridge, address, Thomas, W. Va.; Treasurer, H. Z. Blockridge.

Official Acts—Public services, Sundays 12, total 12.

Communicants—Number last reported 6, added otherwise 2, total gain 2; net gain 2, present number total 8.

Congregations—Baptized persons connected with Parish 15, confirmed persons connected with Parish 8, families 8, individuals not thus included 5, whole number of individuals 20.

FINANCIAL REPORT.

Receipts—For all purposes—Pledges and subscriptions $10.00; total receipts for all purposes $10.00.

Disbursements—For current expenses—Salary of rector $10.00; total for current expenses $10.00

Statement—Current expenses raised by congregation as above $10.00; all money raised by the congregation for current expenses and for contributions $10.00.

PAROCHIAL REPORT.

Rev. JAMES L. FISH, address, Davis. Parsons Mission, Parsons, Tucker county; not organized.

Communicants—Number last reported 6, added otherwise 1, total gain 1; net gain 1, present number total 7.

Congregations—Baptized persons connected with Missions 14, confirmed persons connected with Parish 7, families 7.

Remarks—The Communicants at this place are visited regularly, but it has for some time been impossible to have the use of a building for services except on week days.

PAROCHIAL REPORT.

Rev. JAMES L. FISH, address, Davis. Bayard Mission, Bayard, Grant county; not organized.

Official Acts—Baptisms, infants 2, total 2; public services, Sundays 4, total 4.

Congregations—Baptized persons connected with Parish 9, confirmed persons connected with Parish 4, families 3, individuals not thus included 2, whole number of individuals 11, number sittings in church 120, number free sittings 120.

Rector's Salary—As pledged from this congregation $50.00; total $50.00.

FINANCIAL REPORT.

Receipts—For all purposes—Pledges and subscriptions $50.00; total receipts for all purposes $50.00.

Disbursements—For current expenses—Salary of rector $50.00; total for current expenses $50.00.

Statement—Current expenses raised by congregation as above $50.00; all money raised by the congregation for current expenses and for contributions $50.00.

Remarks—Services are held in this (Emmanuel Church) or Corruna Chapel, during summer months. The services are largely attended by people in the district of all denominations. We also own a lot in the town of Bayard, which is some distance from the above named church.

PAROCHIAL REPORT.

Rev. J. HOWARD GIBBONS, address, Point Pleasant, W. Va. Christ Church, Pt. Pleasant, Mason county; present minister took charge April, 1901.

Church Officers—Church Wardens, Hon. P. C. Eastham, Hon. J. W. English; other Vestrymen, Hon. J. S. Spencer, Hon. Rankin Wiley, Col. J. P. R. B. Smith, J. W. C. Heslop, C. C. Bowyer, L. S. Pomeroy; Registrar, Hon. J. W. English, address Pt. Pleasant; Treasurer, C. C. Bowyer, address Pt. Pleasant; Supt. of Sunday School Hon. P. C. Eastham, Pt. Pleasant; Sunday School Secretary and Treasurer Miss K. B. Stribling.

Official Acts—Baptisms, infants 2, total 2; presented for confirmation since last report 1, marriages 3, burials 4, catechisings 3, public services, Sundays 55, other days 58, total 113; Holy Communion, public 11, total 11.

Communicants—Number last reported 62, admitted by confirmation 1, total gain 1; died 1, total loss 1; present number total 62.

Congregations—Baptized persons connected with Parish 167, confirmed persons connected with Parish 62, families 54, whole number of individuals 125, number sittings in church (free) 250.

Rector's Salary—As pledged from this congregation $350, from Diocesan missions $50.00, as pledged from other congregations $200, from American C'h Missionary Society $150, total $750.

Organizations—Sunday Schools, officers and teachers, male 1, female 3, total 4; pupils, male 15, female 10, total 25; Advent offering $5.90, Lenten offering $7.00, other offerings $18.34, total Sunday School offerings $31.24; Woman's Auxiliary, members 17. *Other organizations*—Ladies Guild, members 25; Babies Branch W. A., members 17; Chancel Chapter, members 9.

Property—Church, brick, insurance $4,000, value $6,000; rectory, frame, insurance $1,000, value $1,200; total value, insurance $5,000, value $7,200.

FINANCIAL REPORT.

Receipts—For all purposes—Cash on hand, per last report $106.49, pledges and subscriptions $571.45, collections in church $192.93, Sunday School $31.24, Woman's Auxiliary, money $33.50, Guilds or other societies $192.97, Babies' Branch W. A. $13.40, total receipts for all purposes $1,141.98.

Disbursements—(1) *For current expenses*—Salary of rector $350.00; other salaries $41.55; insurance $3.00; other current expenses $56.51; other objects $89.71; total for current expenses $540.77. *Contributions*—(1) *For objects in the Parish*—Communion alms $31.66; extraordinary repairs and improvements $134.27; maintaining Sunday Schools $14.30; other objects $132.93; total contributions for objects in the Parish $313.16. (2) *For objects in the Diocese*—Salary of Bishops $50.00; Diocesan missions $50.00; widows and orphans, aged and disabled clergy fund $7.66;

Sheltering Arms Hospital $9.74; Bishop's special fund $5.00; other objects $5.50; S. S. Advent off. (D. M.) $5.90; total contributions for objects in the Diocese $133.80. (3) *For objects without the Diocese*—Domestic missions general $7.50; colored people $2.50; Indians $2.50; Thro' American Ch. Miss. Society $7.50; total domestic missions $20.00; foreign missions general $10.00; for China $2.50; for Africa $2.50; for Japan $2.50; for Hayti $2.50; for Philippines $2.50; Porto Rico $2.50; Brazil $2.50; Cuba $2.50; total foreign missions $30.00; General Clergy Relief Fund $3.50; other objects $24.40; W. A. united offering for year $13.00; S. S Lenten offering (missions) $7.00; total contributions for objects without the Diocese $97.90.

Statement—Current expenses raised by congregation as above $540.77. Contributions—For objects in the Parish $313.16; for objects in the Diocese $133.80; for objects without the Diocese $97.90; total of contributions $544.86; all money raised by the congregation for current expenses and for contributions $1,085.63; cash in hand $56.35.

Rev. J. HOWARD GIBBONS, address, Point Pleasant, W. Va. Bruce Chapel, Elwell, Mason county; present minister took charge April, 1901.

Church Officers—Vestrymen, J. M. H. Beale, E. L. Neale, J. Moore; Treasurer Miss Mary Beale, address, Beale, W. Va.; Superintendent of Sunday School Miss Vause Beale, Beale, W. Va.; Sunday School Secretary and Treasurer Miss Mary Beale.

Official Acts—Baptisms, infants 3, total 3; presented for confirmation since last report 1, burials 2, catechisings 4, public services, Sundays 20, other days 3, total 23; Holy Communion, public 6, total 6.

Communicants—Number last reported 26, admitted by confirmation 1, total gain 1; net gain 1, present number total 27.

Congregations—Baptized persons connected with Parish 45, confirmed persons connected with Parish 27, families 16, whole number of individuals 60, number sittings in church (free) 125.

Rector's Salary—As pledged from this congregation $150; total $150.

Organizations—Sunday School, officers and teachers, female 4, total 4; pupils, male 14, female 21, total 35; Advent offering $3.00, Lenten offering $4.00, other offerings $5.51, total Sunday School offerings $12.51. Industrial Schools officers and teachers 2, scholars 7, total 9.

Property—Chapel, brick, insurance $1,000, value $1,500; total value, insurance $1,000, value $1,500. Money raised from outside sources $32.52 for new fence around the chapel ground.

FINANCIAL REPORT.

Receipts—For all purposes—Pledges and subscriptions $162.00, Bishop's

special fund $17.00, collections in church $24.00, Sunday School $12.51; total receipts for all purposes $215.51.

Disbursements—(1) *For current expenses*—Salary of rector $150.00; total for current expenses $150.00. *Contributions*—(1) *For objects in the Parish*—Maintaining Sunday Schools $5.51; total contributions for objects in the Parish $5.51. (2) *For objects in the Diocese*—Salary of Bishops $12.00; Diocesan missions $12.00; Bishop's special fund $17.00; S. S. Advent offering (D. M.) $3.00; total contributions for objects in the Diocese $44.00. (3) *For objects without the Diocese*—Domestic missions general $1.00; colored people $1.00; Indians $1.00; Thro' American Ch. Miss. Society $1.00; total domestic missions $4.00 for China $1.00; for Africa $1.00; for Japan $1.00; for Hayti $1.00; for Philippines $1.00; Porto Rico $1.00; Brazil $1.00; Cuba $1.00; total foreign missions $8.00; S. S. Lenten offering (missions) $4.00; total contributions for objects without the Diocese $16.00.

Statement—Current expenses raised by congregation as above $150.00. Contributions—For objects in the Parish $5.51; for objects in the Diocese $44.00; for objects without the Diocese $16.00; total of contributions $65.51; all money raised by the congregation for current expenses and for contributions $215.51.

Remarks—Aid is received from the D. M. S. and the A. C. M. S. for *all* work under my care and is reported only under the report for Christ Church, Pt. Pleasant.

PAROCHIAL REPORT.

Rev. J. HOWARD GIBBONS, address, Point Pleasant, W. Va. Spilman Chapel, Spilman, Mason county; present minister took charge April, 1901.

Church Officers—Church Wardens, H. E. Spilman, M. G. Tyler; Treasurer H. E. Spilman, address Spilman, W. Va.; Superintendent of Sunday Schools Miss Virginia Behan, West Columbia, W. Va.; Sunday School Secretary and Treasurer Mrs. M. G. Tyler.

Official Acts—Baptisms, infants 1, total 1; catechisings 2, public services, Sundays 12, other days 8, total 20; Holy Communion, public 3, total 3.

Communicants—Number last reported 23, added otherwise 2, total gain 2; net gain 2, present number total 25.

Congregations—Baptized persons connected with Parish 60, families 18, whole number of individuals 70, number sittings in church (free) 125.

Rector's Salary—As pledged from this congregation $50.00; total $50.00.

Organizations—Sunday School, officers and teachers, female 3, total 3; pupils, male 10, female 14, total 24; Advent offering $1.00, Lenten offering $2.75, other offerings $20.77; total Sunday School offerings $24.52.

Property—Chapel, brick, insurance $1,500, value $1,800, total value, insurance $1,500, value $1,800.

FINANCIAL REPORT.

Receipts—For all purposes—Cash on hand, per last report $3.61, pledges and subscriptions $50.00, collections in church $43.89, Sunday School $24.52, total receipts for all purposes $122.02.

Disbursements—(1) *For current expenses*—Salary of rector $50.00; total for current expenses $50.00. *Contributions*—(1) *For objects in the Parish*—Maintaining Sunday School $20.77; other objects $13.50; total contributions for objects in the Parish $34.27. (3) *For objects in the Diocese*—Salary of Bishops $10; Diocesan missions $10; S. S. Advent off. (D. M.) $1.00; total contributions for objects in the Diocese $21.00. (3) *For objects without the Diocese*—Domestic missions general 75c.; colored people 75c.; Indians 75c.; Thro' American Ch. Miss. Society 75c.; total domestic missions $3.00; foreign missions general 75c.; for China 75c.; for Africa 75c.; for Japan 75c.; for Hayti 75c.; for Philippines 75c.; Porto Rico 75c.; Brazil $1.00; Cuba 75c.; total foreign missions $7.00; American Church Building Fund $3.00; other objects $1.00; S. E. Lenten off. (missions) $2.75; total contributions for objects without the Diocese $16.75.

Statement—Current expenses raised by congregation as above $50.00. Contributions—for objects in the Parish $34.27; for objects in the Diocese $21.00; for objects without the Diocese $16.75; total of contributions $72.02; all money raised by the congregation for current expenses and for contributions $122.02.

Remarks—Aid is received from the D. M. S. and the A. C. M. S. for *all* work under my care and is reported only under the report for Christ Church, Pt. Pleasant.

PAROCHIAL REPORT.

Rev. J. HOWARD GIBBONS, address, Point Pleasant, W. Va. For Mason City, Morning Star S. H. Morgan's S. H., Winfield; present minister took charge April, 1901.

Supt. Report—Mason City. Held 4 Sunday services.

Morning Star School House—Held 1 Sunday and 1 week day service.

Morgan's School House—Held one Sunday service; baptized 2 infants; reported under Bruce Chapel report.

Winfield—Held 1 week day service.

Remarks—Mason City is now under the care of the Rev. Paca Kennedy, Ravenswood.—J. HOWARD GIBBONS, Pt. Pleasant.

PAROCHIAL REPORT.

Rev. G. A. GIBBONS, address, Romney, W. Va. St. Stephens Church, Romney Mission, Romney, Hampshire county; date of organization, 1885; present minister took charge July 1st, 1885.

Church Officers—Church Wardens, G. W. Parsons, W. N. Baird; Treasurer, G. W. Parsons (Miss Keller, assistant), address Romney, W. Va.; Superintendent of Sunday School, Wm. Rusmisell, Romney, W. Va.; Sunday School Secretary and Treasurer, Mrs. G. W. Parsons.

Official Acts—Baptisms, infants 1, adults 3, total 4; presented for confirmation since last report 9, marriages 2, burials 1, catechisings 4, public services, Sundays 24, other days 9, total 33; Holy Communion, public 4, total 4.

Communicants—Number last reported 21, admitted by confirmation 9, total gain 9; net gain 9, present number total 30.

Congregations—Baptized persons connected with Parish 40, confirmed persons connected with Parish 30, families 16, individuals not thus included 4, whole number of individuals 44, number sittings in church 200, number sittings in chapel 100.

Rector's Salary—As pledged from this congregation $100, from Diocesan missions $250, as pledged from other congregations $190, from convocation missions $50.00, from American C'h Missionary Society $200, total $790.

Organizations—Sunday School, officers and teachers, male 1, female 3, total 4; pupils, male 6, female 12, total 18; Advent offering $6.70, Lenten offering $17.33, total Sunday School offerings $24.03.

Property—Church, brick, insurance $1,200, value $1,800; chapel, wood, insurance $400, value $700; rectory, wood, insurance $1,000, value $1,900; total value, insurance $2,600, value $4,400.

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Receipts—For all purposes—Pledges and subscriptions $122.25, collections in church $95.90, Sunday School $17.33, Guilds $31.25, total receipts for all purposes $266.73.

Disbursements—(1) *For current expenses*—Salary of rector $100.00; other salaries $22.25; other current expenses $3.00; other objects $9.18; total for current expenses $134.43. (1) *For objects in the Parish*—Communion alms $4.02; extraordinary repairs and improvements $8.50; other objects $20.00; total contributions for objects in the Parish $32.52. (2) *For objects in the Diocese*—Salary of Bishops $16.00; permanent fund $1.70; Diocesan missions $17.00; convocation missions $5.00; widows and orphans, aged and disabled clergy fund $2.00; religious and theological education $2.00; Sheltering Arms Hospital $3.75; Bishop's special fund $5.00; total contributions for objects in the Diocese $52.45. (3) *For objects without the Diocese*—Domestic missions general $10.00; total domestic missions $10.00; foreign missions general $10.00; total foreign missions $10.00; General Clergy Relief Fund $10.00; Sunday School dom. and L. miss. $17.33; total contributions for objects without the Diocese $47.33.

Statement—Current expenses raised by congregation as above $134.43. Contributions—For objects in the Parish $32.52; for objects in the Diocese $52.45; for objects without the Diocese $47.33; total of contributions $132.30; all money raised by the congregation for current expenses and for contributions $266.73.

Remarks—The Chapel in this report is Zion on North River.

PAROCHIAL REPORT.

Rev. G. A. GIBBONS, address, Romney, W. Va. Emmanuel Church, Emmanuel Parish, Moorefield, Hardy county; date of organization 1878; present minister took charge July 1, 1885.

Church Officers—Church Warden, Thomas Lakin; other Vestrymen, Wm. H. Shearer, P. W. Inskeep, Edward Rinker, F. S. Randolph; Registrar, Wm. H. Shearer, address Moorefield, W. Va.; Treasurer, Registrar and Mrs. Ida Wood, address Moorefield, W. Va.; Superintendent of Sunday School, Wm. Welton Shearer, Moorefield, W. Va.; Sunday School Secretary and Treasurer, Mrs. Wm. H. Shearer.

Official Acts—Baptisms, infants 1, adults 3, total 4; presented for confirmation since last report 3, burials 2, catechisings 5, public services, Sundays 44, other days 5, total 49; Holy Communion, public 5.

Communicants—Number last reported 30, admitted by confirmation 3, net gain 3, present number total 33.

Congregations—Baptized persons connected with Parish 60, confirmed persons connected with Parish 33, families 18, whole number of individuals 60, number sittings in church 200, number sittings in Sunday School room 125.

Rector's Salary—As pledged from this congregation $150, from Diocesan missions $250, as pledged from other congregations $140, from convocation missions $50, from American C'h Missionary Society $200, total $790.

Organizations—Sunday School, officers and teachers, male 1, female 4, total 5; pupils, male 9, female 12, total 21; Advent offering $1.60, Lenten offering $4.05, other offerings $1.50, total Sunday School offerings $7.15.

Property—Church, frame, insurance $1,200, value $3,000; rectory, frame, insurance $1,200, value $2,000; Sunday School room, frame, insurance $750, value $1,400; total value, insurance $3,150, value $6,400.

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Receipts—For all purposes—Pledges and subscriptions $170.00, collections in church $77.75, Sunday School $7.15; Guilds or other societies $10.00, total receipts for all purposes $264.90.

Disbursements—(1) *For current expenses*—Salary of rector $150.00;

other salaries $30.00; other current expenses $10.00; total for current expenses $190.00. *Contributions*—(1) *For objects in the Parish*—Communion alms $2.00; total contributions for objects in the Parish $2.00. (2) *For objects in the Diocese*—Salary of Bishops $20.00; permanent fund $1.50; Diocesan missions $20.00; widows and orphans, aged and disabled clergy fund $2.00; religious and theological education $2.50; Sheltering Arms Hospital $1.70; total contributions for objects in the Diocese $47.70. (3) *For objects without the Diocese*—Domestic missions general $10.00; total domestic missions $10.00; foreign missions general $10.00; total foreign missions $10.00; total contributions for objects without the Diocese $20.00.

Statement—Current expenses raised by congregation as above $190.00. Contributions—For objects in the Parish $2.00; for objects in the Diocese $47.70; for objects without the Diocese $20.00; total of contributions $69.70; all money raised by the congregation for current expenses and for contributions $264.90; cash in hand $5.20.

PAROCHIAL REPORT.

Rev. G. A. GIBBONS address, Romney, W. Va. Epiphany Church, Okonoko Mission, Okonoko, Hampshire county; date of organization 1886; present minister took charge 1885.

Church Officers—Church Warden, Mahlon A. Russell; Registrar, E. W. McGill, address Woodrow, Morgan Co., W. Va.; Treasurer, Henry M. Russell, address Okonoko, W. Va.

Official Acts—Public services, Sundays 19, total 19; Holy Communion, public 3, total 3.

Communicants—Number last reported 10, present number total 10.

Congregations—Baptized persons connected with Parish 16, confirmed persons connected with Parish 10, families 4, whole number of individuals 16, number sittings in church 150, number free sittings 150.

Rector's Salary—As pledged from this congregation $40, from Diocesan missions $250, as pledged from other congregations $250, from convocations missions $50, from American C'h Missionary Society $200, total $790.

Property—Church, frame, insurance $1,000, value $1,500.

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Receipts—For all purposes—Subscriptions $37.00, collections in church $10.00, thank offering $10.00, total receipts for all purposes $57.00.

Disbursements—(1) *For current expenses*—Salary of rector $37.00; total for current expenses $37.00. *Contributions*—(2) *For objects in the*

Diocese—Salary of Bishops $10.00; Diocesan missions $10.00; total contributions for objects in the Diocese $20.00.

Statement—Current expenses raised by congregations as above $37.00. Contributions—For objects in the Diocese $20.00; total of contributions $20.00; all money raised by the congregation for current expenses and for contributions $57.00.

Remarks—Long and extreme illness in the principal family in the Church here has been a great drawback to the work and contributions at this Mission.

PAROCHIAL REPORT.

Rev. G. A. GIBBONS, address, Romney, W. Va. Keyser Mission, Keyser, Mineral county.

Church Officers—Church Warden, J. M. Linthicum; Treasurer, J. M. Linthicum, address Keyser, W. Va.

Congregations—Confirmed persons connected with Parish 12, individuals not thus included 6, whole number of individuals 18.

Property—Chapel, stone, value $2,000. *Indebtedness*—On chapel $2,000.

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Receipts—For all purposes—Cash on hand, per last report $54.70, income from other sources $168.00, total receipts for all purposes $222.70.

Contributions—For objects in the Parish—Interest on debt $170.00.

Statement—Current expenses raised by congregation as above $168.00. Contributions—All money raised by the congregation for current expenses and for contributions $168.00; cash in hand $54.70.

Remarks—There have been no regular services at Keyser for a year or more, and, while not under my charge, I have at the Bishop's request, gathered the best information and data I can get and send this report.—G. A. GIBBONS, Romney, W. Va.

PAROCHIAL REPORT.

Rev. G. A. GIBBONS, address, Romney, W. Va. Paw Paw Mission, Paw Paw, Morgan county, W. Va.; present minister took charge 1893.

Church Officers—Church Warden, Thomas Korns; Treasurer, Thomas Korns, address Paw Paw, W. Va.

Official Acts—Baptisms, infants 1, total 1; public services 11, Holy Communion, public 2.

Communicants—Number last reported 6, removed without letter 1, present number total 5.

Congregations—Baptized persons connected with Parish 5, confirmed persons connected with Parish 5, families 3, individuals not thus included 2, whole number of individuals 10.

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Receipts—For all purposes—Subscriptions $28.25, collections in church $14.00, total receipts for all purposes $42.25.

Disbursements—(1) *For current expenses*—Rector expenses $28.25. *Contributions*—(2) *For objects in the Diocese*—Permanent fund $2.00; Diocesan missions $3.00; widows and orphans, aged and disabled clergy fund $2.00; religious and theological education $2.00; total contributions for objects in the Diocese $9.00. (3) *For objects without the Diocese*—Brazil $3.00; Cuba $2.00; total contributions for objects without the Diocese $5.00.

Statement—Current expenses raised by congregation as above $28.25. Contributions—For objects in the Diocese $9.00; for objects without the Diocese $5.00; total of contributions $14.00; all money raised by the congregation for current expenses and for contributions $42.25.

Remarks—We use a part of the public school for church services, and in order to do this and have it in order twelve times a year, there are no two or three individuals in the Diocese who do as much work and make as much real sacrifice by way of time and labor, as the three in the Wardens family.

PAROCHIAL REPORT.

Rev. JNO. S. GIBSON, address, Huntington. Trinity Church, Cabell Parish, Huntington, Cabell county; date of organization, 1872; present minister took charge 1892.

Church Officers—Church Wardens, Cameron L. Thompson, Edmund Sehon; other Vestrymen, Frank B. Enslow, G. A. Northcott, C. D. Emmons, F. D. Fuller, Thos. L. Trimmer, F. R. Van Antwerp, John W. Ensign, R. L. Archer, Thos. W. Moore; Registrar, C. D. Emmons, address Huntington; Treasurer, G A. Northcott, address Huntington; Superintendent of Sunday School, G. A. Northcott; Sunday School Secretary and Treasurer Herman Jenkins.

Official Acts—Baptisms, infants 5, adults 4, total 9; presented for confirmation since last report 15, marriages 5, burials 34, catechisings 40, public services, Sundays 125, other days 75, total 200; Holy Communion, public 25, total 25.

Communicants—Number last reported 200, received by letter 3, admitted by confirmation 15, added otherwise 3, total gain 21; died 1, transferred 3, removed without letter 12, total loss 16; net gain 5, present number total 205.

Congregations—Baptized persons connected with Parish 430, confirmed persons connected with Parish 220, families 72, individuals not thus included 80, whole number of individuals 460, number sittings in church, all free, 425, number sittings in chapel 75.

Rector's Salary—As pledged from this congregation $1,200; total $1,200.

Organizations—Sunday School, officers and teachers, male 3, female 8, total 11; pupils 75, total 75; Advent offering $10.76, Lenten offering $35.76, other offerings $110, total Sunday School offerings $156.52.

Property—Church, brick, insurance $8,000, value $20,500; rectory, brick, insurance $3,000, value $6,000, total value $26,500.

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Receipts—For all purposes—Cash on hand, per last report $243.00, pledges and subscriptions $1,715.00; collections in church $650.00, Sunday School $156.52, Woman's and Junior Auxiliary, money $109.73, Woman's Auxiliary boxes, value $66.75, Guilds, or other societies $900.00, total receipts for all purposes $3,598.00.

Disbursements—(1) *For current expenses*—Salary of rector $1,200; other salaries $500; insurance $45.00; ordinary repairs $75.00; other current expenses $193.00; other objects $106.00; total for current expenses $2,119. *Contributions*—(1) *For objects in the Parish*—Extraordinary repairs and improvements $618.28; Parish missions $20.00; maintaining Sunday Schools $100.00; other objects $230.00; total contributions for objects in the Parish $968.28. (2) *For objects in the Diocese*—Salary of Bishops $100.00; Permanent fund $2.00; Diocesan missions $80.00; convocation missions $10.00; widows and orphans, aged and disabled clergy fund $35.70; religious and theological education $11.50; Sheltering Arms Hospital $81.75; Bishop's special fund $45.00; other objects $35.75; total contributions for objects in the Diocese $401.70. (3) *For objects without the Diocese*—Domestic missions general $74.00, colored people $3.00, deaf and dumb $4.00; total domestic missions $81.00; foreign missions general $64.00; Brazil and Cuba $15.00; total foreign misions $79.00; special boxes, &c., $12.00; American Church Building Fund $2.00; General Clergy Relief Fund $1.60; Bible and Prayer Book Society $2.00; total contributions for objects without the Diocese $177.60.

Statement—Current expenses raised by congregation as above $2,119. Contributions—For objects in the Parish $968.28; for objects in the Diocese $401.70; for objects without the Diocese $177.60; total of contributions $1,547.58; all money raised by the congregation for current expenses and for contributions $3,666.58; cash in hands of societies $174.42.

PAROCHIAL REPORT.

Rev. JNO. S. GIBSON, address, Huntington. Grace Church, Wayne Mission, Kenova, Wayne county; date of organization, 1890; present minister took charge 1892.

Church Officers—Church Warden, Charles C. Coe; other Vestrymen F. R. Peck, R. Ney Williams; Registrar, F. R. Peck, address Kenova; Treasurer F. R. Peck, address Kenova.

Official Acts—Baptisms, adults 1, total 1; presented for confirmation since last report 2, marriages 1, public services, Sundays 48, other days 6, total 54; Holy Communion, public 9, total 9.

Communicants—Number last reported 8, received by letter 2; admitted by confirmation 2; total gain 4; removed without letter 1, total loss 1; net gain 3, present number total 11.

Congregations—Baptized persons connected with Parish 21, families 7, individuals not thus included 2, whole number of individuals 24, number sittings in church 150; number free sittings 150.

Rector's Salary—No pledge.

Property—Church and furniture, insurance $1,800, value $2,500.

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Receipts—For all purposes—Cash on hand, per last report $26.25, pledges and subscriptions $136.00, Bishop's salary $7.00; collections in church $95.14; total receipts for all purposes $264.39.

Disbursements—(1) *For current expenses*—Salary of rector $150.00; insurance $36.00; ordinary repairs $1.85; other current expenses $11.35; total for current expenses $199.20. *Contributions*—(1) *For objects in the Parish*—Extraordinary repairs and improvements $32.03; total contributions for objects in the Parish $32.03. (2) *For objects in the Diocese*—Salary of Bishops $7.00; Diocesan missions $5.00; widows and orphans, aged and disabled clergy fund $6.80; Sheltering Arms Hospital $3.65; total contributions for objects in the Diocese $22.45. (3) *For objects without the Diocese*—Domestic missions general $4.25; foreign missions general $4.25; total foreign missions $4.25; American Church Building Fund $1.00; total contributions for objects without the Diocese $9.50.

Statement—Current expenses raised by congregation as above $199.20. Contributions—For objects in the Parish $32.03; for objects in the Diocese $22.45; for objects without the Diocese $9.50; total of contributions $63.98; all money raised by the congregation for current expenses and for contributions $263.18; cash in hand $1.21.

Remarks—The recent removal of one of the families connected with and interested in this mission and the immediate removal of two others greatly depresses our work and the present outlook is not for progress, and indeed, we cannot hope to maintain our contributions to anything like their present proportions. The ministers salary has been, and will be further, reduced, and so must all assessments upon us.

PAROCHIAL REPORT.

Rev. JNO. S. GIBSON, address, Huntington. Mingo Mission, Williamson, Mingo county; unorganized; present minister took charge 1902.

Church Officers—Treasurer B. R. Bias, address Williamson.

Official Acts—Presented for confirmation since last report 1, burials 1, public services 18, total 18; Holy Communion, public, 6, total 6.

Communicants—Number last reported 11, admitted by confirmation 1, added otherwise 1, total gain 2; removed without letter 3, total loss 3; net loss 1, present number total 10.

Congregations—Baptized persons connected with Parish 30, confirmed persons connected with Parish 12, families 4, individuals not thus included 8, whole number of individuals 35, number of scattered communicants in your section not connected with any Parish 5.

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Receipts—For all purposes—Cash on hand, per last report $10.37; pledges and subscriptions $100.25, collections in church $13.55, total receipts for all purposes $124.17.

Disbursements—(1) *For current expenses*—Salary of rector $100.25; other current expenses $10.75; total for current expenses $111.00. *Contributions*—(2) *For objects in the Diocese*—Diocesan missions $2.30; total contributions for objects in the Diocese $2.30. (3) *For objects without the Diocese*—Domestic missions 50c.; total domestic missions 50c.; foreign missions general 50c.; total foreign missions 50c.; total contributions for objects without the Diocese $1.00.

Statement—Current expenses raised by congregation as above $111.00. Contributions—For objects in the Diocese $2.30; for objects without the Diocese $1.00; total of contributions $3.30; all money raised by the congregation for current expenses and for contributions $114.30; cash in hand $9.87.

Remarks—The treasurer, Mr. B. R. Bias, has in bank for the building of a church $109.00, contributed in Williamson. There is an additional $500 subscribed.

PAROCHIAL REPORT.

Rev. ANDREW G. GRINNAN, address, Weston, W. Va. St. Paul's Church, Weston Parish, Weston, Lewis county; date or oganization, 1848; present minister took charge 1900.

Church Officers—Church Wardens, Harry C. Bailey, Richard Harrison; other Vestrymen, Er. Ralston, E. G. Davisson, M. B. Ralston, Louis Bennett, A. H. Kunst, A. A. Warren, J. S. Mitchell; Registrar, Ern. Vandervort; Treasurer, Ern. Vandervort, address Weston, W. Va.

Official Acts—Baptisms, infants 6, adults 1, total 7; presented for confirmation since last report 8, marriages 9, burials 16, catechisings weekly, public services, Sundays 118, other days 79, total 197; Holy Communion, public, 40, private 1, total 41.

Communicants—Number last reported 75, admitted by confirmation 8, added otherwise 2, total gain 10; died 2, removed without letter 1, total loss 3; net gain 7; present number total 82.

Congregations—Baptized persons connected with Parish 215, confirmed persons connected with Parish 112, families 65, individuals not thus included 25, whole number of individuals 215, number free sittings 300, number sittings in Sunday school room 150,

Rector's Salary—As pledged from this congregation $800; total $800.

Organizations—Sunday school, officers and teachers, male 1, female 7, total 8; pupils, male 26, female 36, total 62; advent offering $28.22, Lenten $45.00, other offerings $36.71, total Sunday School offerings $133.41. Woman's Auxiliary, members 19. *Other Organizations*—Daughters of King 8, Guild 20.

Property—Church, stone, insurance $5,000, value $15,000; rectory, wood, insurance $1,000, value $2,000.

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Receipts—For all purposes—Cash on hand, per last report $184.74, pledges and subscriptions $855.26, collections in church $511.32, thank offerings $43.44, Sunday School $133.41, Woman's Auxiliary, money $49.00, Guilds or other societies $159.31, income from other sources $69.30, total receipts for all purposes $2,005.78.

Disbursements—(1) *For current expenses*—Salary of rector $800.04; other current expenses $218.89; total for current expenses $1,018.93. *Contributions*—(1) *For objects in the Parish*—Communion alms $22.73; maintaining Sunday Schools $48.34; other objects $113.33; total contributions for objects in the Parish $184.40. (2) *For objects in the Diocese*—Salary of Bishops $80.00; permanent fund $6.37; Diocesan missions $75.97; convocation $2.50; widows and orphans, aged and disabled clergy fund $13.74; religious and theological education $5.90; Sheltering Arms Hospital $26.54; Bishop's special fund $12.50; through Woman's Auxiliary $18.50; total contributions for objects in the Diocese $242.02. (3) *For objects without the Diocese*—Domestic missions general $61.44; total domestic missions $61.44; foreign missions general $55.94; special for China $14.58; Brazil $6.47; total foreign missions $76.99; Society of St. Philip the Apostle $43.44; total contributions for objects without the Diocese $181.87.

Statement—Current expenses raised by congregation as above $1,018.93. Contributions—For objects in the Parish $184.40; for objects in the Diocese $242.02; for objects without the Diocese $181.87; total of contributions $608.29; all money raised by the congregation for current expenses and for contributions $1,627.22; cash in hand $378.56.

Remarks—I have also conducted 4 services at Brownsville, 4 at Buckhanon, 3 at Spruce Chapel, 5 at the Hospital for the Insane, 2 at Sutton, 2 at Richwood, 1 at Centralia, 1 at Little Otter, 1 at Jacksonville.

I have begun to hold services at Brownsville (3 miles south of Weston) on the first Sunday afternoon of each month, in a school house.

PAROCHIAL REPORT.

Rev. ANDREW G. GRINNAN, address, Weston. St. Paul's Chapel, St. Paul's Parish, near Weston, Lewis county; date of organization, 1903; present minister took charge 1900.

Church Officers—Treasurer J. White Peterson, Weston, W. Va.; Superintendent of Sunday School, Miss Hila McBride, Weston, W. Va.

Official Acts—Baptisms, infants 3, adults 1, total 4; presented for confirmation since last report 2, burials 2, public services, Sundays 22, other days 8, total 30, Holy Communion, public 6, private 1, total 7.

Communicants—Number last reported 13, admitted by confirmation 2, total gain 2, died 1, removed without letter 1, total loss 2, present number total 13.

Congregations—Baptized persons connected with Parish 22, confirmed persons connected with Parish 13, families 8, number sittings in church 120.

Rector's Salary—From this congregation $28.50, from Diocesan missions $50.00, total $78.50.

Organizations—Sunday School, officers and teachers, female 3, pupils, male 16, female 18, total 34.

Property—Chapel, wood, insurance $750, value $1,000; other property, one-half acre of ground.

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Receipts—For all purposes—Cash on hand, per last report $23.69, pledges and subscriptions and collections in church $77.11, total receipts for all purposes $100.80.

Disbursements—(1) *For current expenses*—Salary of rector $28.50; other current expenses $34.58; total for current expenses $63.08. *Contributions*—(1) *For objects in the Parish*—Maintaining Sunday Schools $1.58; total contributions for objects in the Parish $1.58. (2) *For objects in the Diocese*—Diocesan missions $2.36; widows and orphans, aged and disabled clergy fund $2.18; Sheltering Arms Hospital $2.50; Bishop's special fund $2.50; total contributions for objects in the Diocese $9.54. (3) *For objects without the Diocese*—General missions $6.56; American Church Building Fund $3.00; total contributions for objects without the Diocese $9.56.

Statement—Current expenses raised by congregation as above $63.08. Contributions—For objects in the Parish $1.58; for objects in the Diocese $9.54; for objects without the Diocese $9.56; total of contributions $20.68; all money raised by the congregation for current expenses and for contributions $83.76; cash in hand $17.04.

PAROCHIAL REPORT.

Rev. JACOB A. HIATT, address, Hinton. Ascension Church, Hinton Mission, Hinton, Summers county; present minister took charge January 1904.

Church Officers—Church, "Ascension"; Wardens, T. N. Read, W. L. Barksdale; other Vestrymen, R. G. Haile, C. S. Falconer, Jno. Romick; Registrar, T. N. Read, address Hinton, W. Va.; Treasurer, T. N. Read, address Hinton, W. Va.; Superintendent of Sunday School, T. N. Read, Hinton, W. Va.

Official Acts—Baptisms, infants 5, adults 3, total 8; presented for confirmation since last report 5, marriages 2, burials 3, catechisings 15, public services, Sundays 35, other days 55, total 90; Holy Communion, public 15, private 1, total 16.

Communicants—Number last reported 49, admitted by confirmation 5, total gain 5; transferred 15, removed without letter 9, total loss 24; net loss 19, present number total 30.

Congregations—Baptized persons connected with Parish 60, confirmed persons connected with Parish 30, individuals not thus included 100, whole number of individuals 180, number sittings in church 200 (all free), number sittings in Sunday School room 100.

Rector's Salary—As pledged from this congregation $400, as pledged from other congregations $200; from American C'h. Missionary Society $200, total $800.

Organizations—Sunday School, officers and teachers, male 1, female 1, total 2; pupils, male 5, female 15, total 24.

Property—Church, frame, insurance $3,500, value $4,000; rectory, frame, insurance $1,200, value $1,800; real estate, church lot, value $6,000; total value $11,800. *Indebtedness*—On church $190, on Diocesan assessment for Bishop's fund $10, total indebtedness $200.

FINANCIAL REPORT.

Receipts—For all purposes—Cash on hand May 1, 1904, $92.73, pledges and subscriptions $401.33, collections in church $66.58, thank offerings, Easter $40.29, Guilds, or other societies $210.93, total receipts for all purposes $811.86.

Disbursements—(1) *For current expenses*—Salary of rector $401.90;

other salaries, sexton, $55.80; organist $4.00; ordinary repairs $11.40; interest on debt $19.47; payment on debts contracted for current expenses $36.46; other current expenses $7.50; total for current expenses $536.53. *Contributions*—(1) *For objects in the Parish*—Payment on debts for building, &c., $271.30; total contributions for objects in the Parish $271.30. (2) *For objects in the Diocese*—Salary of Bishops $9.61; Diocesan missions $30.00; total contributions for objects in the Diocese $39.61.

Statement—Current expenses raised by congregation as above $536.53. Contributions—For objects in the Parish $271.30; for objects in the Diocese $39.61; total of contributions $310.91; all money raised by the congregation for current expenses and for contributions $847.44.

PAROCHIAL REPORT.

Rev. JACOB A. HIATT, address, Hinton. Glen Jean Mission, Glen Jean, Fayette county; present minister took charge June, 1904.

Church Officers—Vestrymen, Dr. C. B. Lee, W. B. Johnson, W. S. Carter; Treasurer, W. B. Johnson, address Red Star.

Official Acts—Baptisms, infants 1, total 1; burials 1, public services, Sundays 24, other days 6, total 30; Holy Communion, public 1, total 1.

Communicants—Number last reported 95, removed without letter 6, total loss 6; net loss 6, present number total 9.

Congregations—Baptized persons connected with Parish 25, confirmed persons connected with Parish 9, families 6, individuals not thus included 18, number sittings in church (all free) 300.

Rector's Salary—As pledged from this congregation $200; total $200.

Organizations—There is a good union Sunday School at Glen Jean.

Property—Church, frame, insurance $1,500, value $3,000; total value, insurance $1,500, value $3,000. *Indebtedness*—Due on Diocesan assessment for missions $2.00, on Diocesan assessment for Bishop's fund $2.00, total indebtedness $4.00.

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Receipts—For all purposes—Pledges and subscriptions $150.00, collections in Church $35.00; contributions from without $25.00; total receipts for all purposes $210.00.

Disbursements—(1) *For current expenses*—Salary of rector $200; other current expenses $25.00; total for current expenses $225.00. *Contributions*—(2) *For objects in the Diocese*—Salary of Bishops $8.00; Diocesan missions $8.00; Bishop's special fund $15.00; total contributions for objects in the Diocese $31.00. (3) *For objects without the Diocese*—Foreign missions general $5.00; total foreign missions $5.00; total contributions for objects without the Diocese $5.00.

Statement—Contributions—for objects in the Parish $225.00; for objects in the Diocese $31.00; for objects without the Diocese $5.00; total of contributions $261.00.

PAROCHIAL REPORT.

Rev. DAVID W. HOWARD, address, Wheeling, W. Va. Saint Matthew's Church Parish, Wheeling, Ohio county; date of organization May 11, 1819; present minister took charge January 1, 1900.

Church Officers—Church Wardens, Joseph D. Du Bois, Dr. G. A. Aschman; other Vestrymen, Hullihen Quarrier, W. S. Brady, J. C. Brady, James J. Holloway, Julien Hearne, B. Walker Peterson, Robert M. Browne, Cyrus P. Flick, Allen Brock, Peebles Tatum; Registrar, Allen Brock, address 1413 Main St.; Treasurer Cyrus P. Flick, address 1423 Chapline St.; Superintendent of Sunday School, Rev. David W. Howard, 1410 Chapline St., Sunday School Secretary and Treasurer, Wiliam Schwertbeger; Lay Reader, Dr. G. A. Aschman.

Official Acts—Baptisms, infants 18, adults 7, total 25; presented for confirmation since last report 25, marriages 30, burials 15, catechisings 12, public services, Sundays 130, other days 74, total 204; Holy Communion public 68, private 4, total 72.

Communicants—Number last reported 550, received by letter 5, admitted by confirmation 25, total gain 30; died 6, transferred 20, removed without letter 3, lapsed 1, total loss 30; present number total $550.

Congregations—Confirmed persons connected with Parish 561, families 187, individuals not thus included 122, whole number of individuals 871, number sittings in church 600, number free sittings 150, number sittings in Sunday School room 150.

Rector's Salary—As pledged from this congregation $2,000; total $2,000.

Organizations—Sunday School, officers and teachers, male 3, female 9, total 12; pupils, male 65, female 75, total 140; Advent offering $31.91, Lenten offering $135.00, other offerings $110.00, total Sunday School offerings $276.91. Woman's Auxiliary, members 67. *Other organizations*—Jun. Auxiliary, 45; Swope Guild, 25; N. S. Thomas Guild, 12; Chancel Chapter, 20; Choir Association, 50; Kings Daughters, 25; Seabury Club, 50.

Property—Church, stone, insurance $50,000, value $65,000; rectory, stone and brick, insurance $6,000, value $12,000; total value, insurance $56,000, value $77,000. *Indebtedness*—Vestry notes $500, total indebtedness $500.

FINANCIAL REPORT.

Receipts—For all purposes—Pledges and subscriptions $1,652.28, pew rent $5,014.67, collections in church $3,414.14, interest from investments $186.22, thank offerings $1,000, Sunday School $307.95, Woman's Auxiliary,

money $853.15, Woman's Auxiliary boxes, value $178.27, Guilds, or other societies $2,772.44, total receipts for all purposes $15,379.12.

Disbursements—(1) *For current expenses*—Salary of rector $2,000; other salaries $1,934.56; insurance $48.00; ordinary repairs $1,101.45; interest on debt $142.06; payment on debts contracted for current expenses $750.00; other current expenses $1,620.35, total for current expenses $7,596.42. *Contributions*—(1) *For objects in the Parish*—Communion alms $250.63; extraordinary repairs and improvements $1,869.31; Parish missions $293.80; maintaining Sunday Schools $44.76; City Hospital $80.00; charities $507.00; total contributions for objects in the Parish $3,045.50. (2) *For objects in the Diocese*—Salary of Bishops $550.00; permanent fund $10.00; Diocesan missions $647.89; convocation missions $75.00; widows and orphans, aged and disabled clergy fund $1,310.00; religious and theological education $15.00; Sheltering Arms Hospital $141.96; Bishop's special fund $83.00; total contributions for objects in the Diocese $2,832.85. (3) *For objects without the Diocese*—Domestic missions general $514.12; deaf and dumb $10.00; total domestic missions $524.12; foreign missions general $25.00; for China $77.00; Brazil $15.00; Cuba $35.00; total foreign missions $127.00; specials, boxes, &c., $178.27; General Clergy Relief Fund $35.00; united offering of Woman's Auxiliary $536.00; total contributions for objects without the Diocese $1,400.39.

Statement—Current expenses raised by congregation as above $7,596.42. Contributions—For objects in the Parish $3,045.50; for objects in the Diocese $2,832.85; for objects without the Diocese $1,400.39; total of contributions $7,278.74; all money raised by the congregation for current expenses and for contributions $14,875.16; cash in hand $503.96; total $15,379.12.

PAROCHIAL REPORT.

Rev. EDWARD D. IRVINE, address, Wellsburg. Christ Church, Wellsburg, Brooke county; date of organization, 1793; present minister took charge January 15, 1903.

Church Officers—Christ Church; Wardens, Geo. A. Baxter, Jos. Fausset; other Vestrymen, T. A. Buchanan, F. L. Natt ——— Morgan; Registrar, Geo. A. Baxter, address Wellsburg, W. Va, Treasurer, T. A. Buchanan, address Wellsburg, Supt. of Sunday Schools, F. L. Natt, Wellsburg; Sunday School Secretary and Treasurer, Miss Rose Wheeler.

Official Acts—Baptisms, infants 6, adults 1, total 7; presented for confirmation since last report 1, marriages 6, burials 4, catechisings 12, public services, Sundays 90, other days 64, total 154; Holy Communion, public 27.

Communicants—Number last reported 55, admitted by confirmation 1, total gain 1; died 2, total loss 2; net loss 1; present number total 54.

Congregations—Baptized persons connected with parish 78, confirmed persons connected with Parish 58, families 23, whole number of individuals 125, number of sittings in church 175. All free.

Rector's Salary—As pledged from this congregation $450, from Diocesan Missions $240, as pledged from other congregations $36.22, total $712.00.

Organizations—Sunday Schools, officers and teachers, male 1, female 3, total 4; Pupils, male 10, female 20, total 30; advent offerings $6.25, Lenten affering $11.40, other offerings $36.34, total Sunday School offerings $53.99. Woman's Auxiliary, members 10. *Other Organizations*— Parish Guild 14; Choir Guild 12; Alter Chapter 5.

Property—Church, wood, value $3,500; rectory, wood, value $1,500, other property $150; toal value $5,150.00.

FINANCIAL REPORT.

Receipts—For all purposes—Pledges and subscriptions $515.84, collections in church $131.41; Sunday School $63.59, Woman's Auxiliary, money $25.66, Guilds, or other societies, $189.62, total receipts for all purposes $926.12.

Disbursements—(1) *For current expenses*—Salary of rector $450, other salaries $74.50, insurance $34.00, ordinary repairs $28.30, other current expenses $35.98, other objects, $100.39, total for current expenses $723.07. *Contributions*—(1) *For objects in the Parish*—Communion Alms $12.24; maintaining Sunday Schools $42.02; total contributions for objects in the Parish $54.26. (2) *For objects in the Diocese*—Salary of Bishops $25.00; Diocesan Missions $31.25; Convocation Missions $5.00; Sheltering Arms Hospital $10.00; Woman's Missionary $8.00; total contributions for objects in tne Diocese $79.25. (3) *For objects without the Diocese*—Domestic missions general $16.25; total domestic missions $16.25; foreign missions general $14.25; total foreign missions $14.25; widows and orphans $5.00; Woman's Auxiliary $14.00; total contributions for objects without the Diocese $49.50.

Statement—Current expenses raised by congregation as above $723.07. *Contributions*—For objects in the Parish $54.26, for objects in the Diocese $79.25, for objects without the Diocese $49.50, total of contributions $183.01; all money raised by the congregation for current expenses and for contributions $916.08.

PAROCHIAL REPORT.

Rev. EDWARD D. IRVINE, address, Wellsburg. St. John's Church, St John's Parish, Brooke county; date of organization, 1793; present minister took charge March 29, 1903.

Church Officers—St. John's Church; Wardens, Jas. Williamson; other

Vestrymen, Norman Pool, Jas. Williamson; Registrar, Samuel Baxter, address Route 3, Wellsburg, Jas. Williamson, address Route 3, Wellsburg.

Official Acts—Marriages 1, burials 2, public services, Sundays 28, other days 1, total 29; Holy Communion, public 4, total 4.

Communicants—Number last reported 25, died 1, total loss 1; present number total 24.

Congregations—Baptized persons connected with Parish 35, confirmed persons connected with Parish 24, families 8, whole number of individuals 40, number sittings in church 200. All free.

Rector's Salary—As pledged from this congregation $36.00, from Diocesan missions $240, as pledged from other congregations $4.50, total $726.

FINANCIAL REPORT.

Property—Church, brick, value $2,500.00; total value $2,500.00.

Receipts—For all purposes—Pledges and subscriptions, $36.00, collections in church $37.83, total receipts for all purposes $73.83.

Disbursements—(1) *For current expenses*—Salary of rector $36.00, other current expenses $30.38, total current expenses $66.38. *Contribuions* (2) *For objects in the Diocese*—Diocesan missions $5.00; total contributions for objects in the Diocese $5.00. (3) *For objects without the Diocese* Domestic missions general $1.23; total domestic missions $1.23; foreign missions general $1.22, total foreign missions $1.22; total contributions for objects wihout the Diocese $2.45.

Statement—Current expenses raised by congregation as above $66.38. *Contributions*—For objects in the Diocese $5.00; for objects wihout the Diocese $2.45; total of contributions $7.45; all money raised by the congregation for current expenses and for contributions $73.83.

PAROCHIAL REPORT.

Rev. PACA KENNEDY, address, St. Marys. Grace Church, St. Mary's Mission, St. Marys, Pleasant county; date of organization, 1899; present minister took charge September, 1904.

Church Officers—Church Wardens, R. L. Pemberton, R. H. Browne; other Vestrymen, E. A. Sayer, J. C. Noland, Geo. Kelsall; Registrar, J. C. Noland, address St. Marys, Treasurer, Geo. Kelsall, address St. Marys, Supt. Sunday Schools, Geo. Kelsall.

Official Acts—Marriages 3, catechisings 2, public services, Sundays 22, other days 7, total 34; Holy Communion, public, 4, total 4.

Communicants—Number last reported 29, removed without letter 1, Net loss 1; present number total 28.

Congregations—Baptized persons connected with Parish 29, confirmed persons connected with Parish 28, families 9, individuals not thus included 1, number of scattered communicants in your section not connected with any Parish 2, number sittings in church 200, number free sittings 200.

Rector's Salary—As pledged from this congregation $325, as pledged from other congregations $290, total $615.00.

Organizations—Sunday School, officers and teachers, male 5, female 1, total 6; pupils, male 9, female 20, total 29; Lenten offering $3.19, other offerings $32.59, total Sunday School offerings $35.78.

Property—Church, brick, insurance $1,500.00, value $4,000.00; rectory, wood, insurance $1,200.00, value $2,000.00. *Indebtedness*—On rectory $2,000.00, due on Diocesan assessment for Bishop's fund $15.00, other debts, Miss Appt $15.00, total indebtedness $2,030.00; money raised from outside sources $101.00; for what objects used, debt on church.

FINANCIAL REPORT.

Receipts—For all purposes—Pledges and subscriptions $136.25; collections in church $224.24; Sunday School $35.78; contributions from without $101.00; Income from other sources $56.00; total receipts for all purposes $563.27.

Disbursements—(1) *For current expenses*—Salary of rector $213.00; insurance $38.10; ordinary repairs $3.00; other current expenses $5.65; total for current expenses $259.75. *Contributions*—(1) *For objects in the Parish*—Extraordinary repairs and improvements $56.00; maintaining Sunday Schools $30.00; payments on debts for building, &c., $311.00; total contributions for objects in the Parish $397.00. (2) *For objects in the Diocese*—Diocesan missions $15.00; convocation missions $2.50; Sheltering Arms Hospital $3.65; Chester $7.25; total contribution for objects in the Diocese $28.30.

Statement—Current exenses raised by congregation as above $259.75. Contributions—For objects in the Parish $297.00; for objects in the Diocese $28.30; total contributions $325.30; all money raised by the congregation for current expenses and for contributions $585.05.

Remarks—I hope to pay our assessments at Council. The financial report is the best I can do. I imagine where a special sum is needed, i. e. insurance, the money is collected, debt paid, account kept of debt as paid but not of money as collected.

PAROCHIAL REPORT.

Rev. PACA KENNEDY, address, St. Marys. Grace Church, Ravenswood Parish, Ravenswood, Jackson county; date of organization 1855 (?); present minister took charge September, 1904.

Church Officers—Warden, F. H. Greene; other Vestrymen J. V. Armstrong.

Official Acts—Baptisms, adults 1, total 1; presented for confirmation since last report 3, public services, Sundays 11, other days 9, total 24; Holy Communion, public 1, total 1.

Communicants—Number last reported 20, admitted by confirmation 3,

total gain 3; removed without letter 3, total loss 3; present number total 20.

Congregations—Baptized persons connected with Parish 30, confirmed persons connected with Parish 20, families 9, individuals not thus included 4, number sittings in church 200, number free sittings 200.

Rector's Salary—As pledged from this congregation $110, as pledged from other congregations $505, total $615.

Organizations—Sunday School, officers and teachers, male 2, female 3, total 5; pupils, male 8, female 23, total 31; Advent offerings $2.25, Lenten offerings $7.12, Children's Home $2.25, ordinary calls $18.09, total Sunday School offerings $29.71.

Property—Church, frame, insurance $2.200.00, value $3.200; rectory, frame, insurance $1,000, value $2,000. *Indebtedness*—On church $475, total indebtedness $475.

FINANCIAL REPORT.

Receipts—For all purposes—Pledges and subscriptions $48.75, collections in church $33.92, interest from investments $96.51, Sunday School $29.71, income from other sources rent of rectory $96.00, total receipts for all purposes $304.89.

Disbursements—(1) *For current expenses*—Salary of rector $82.50: other salaries $20.30; ordinary repairs $16.74; other current expenses $45.87; total for current expenses $165.41. *Contributions*—(1) *For objects in the Parish*—Maintaining Sunday Schools $17.23; payment on debt for buildings &c., $50.00; total contributions for objects in the Parish $67.23. *For objects in the Diocese*—Salary of Bishops $10.00; Diocesan missions $10.00; convocation missions assessments $2.00; widows and orphans, aged and disabled clergy fund 67c, religious and theological education 52c; Sheltering Arms Hospital $2.75;Children's Home S. S. $2.25 Advent offering $2.25; unknown $15.00; Chester collection $2.34; total contributions for objects in the Diocese $47.78. (3) *For objects without the Diocese*—Domestic missions general $5.00; foreign missions general $5.00; Lenten offering S. S. $7.12; total contributions for objects without the Diocese $17.12.

Statement—Current expenses raised by congregation as above $22.90. Contributions for objects in the Parish $17.23; for objects in the Diocese $47.78; for objects wihout the Diocese $17.12;total of contributions $82.13; all money raised by the congregation for current expenses and for contributions $105.03; cash in hand $17.82.

Remarks—The treasurer gave Mr. Spurr check for $15.00 but cannot find the check and has forgotten the object. So it is put down as "unknown." The financial report does not balance. It shows a credit of $10.47 lacking. It is the best I can do. I have had eight services at Liverpool and two school houses back in the country. Bad weather has often interfered. Good attendance. Took up $1.11 in collections, which I

sent to Mr. Thomas. I also went to Mason City but found only one communicant and no congregation. I cannot get the Hartford people to have me.

PAROCHIAL REPORT.

Rev. PACA KENNEDY, address, St. Marys, W. Va. St. John's church, St. John's Parish, Willow Island, Pleasant county; date of organization 1853; present minister took charge September, 1904.

Church Officers—Church Wardens, F. M. Triplett, John W. Norris; other Vestrymen, J. H. Ralston; Registrar, J. W. Norris, Willow, W. Va.; Treasurer, J. W. Norris, Willow, W. Va.; no Sunday School.

Official Acts—Public services, Sundays 8, total 8.

Communicants—Number last reported 13, present number total 13.

Congregations—Baptized persons connected with Parish 18, confirmed persons connected with Parish 13, families 8, number sittings in church 150, number free sittings 150.

Rector's Salary—As pledged from this congregation $50.00, as pledged from other congregations $565.00, total $615.00.

FINANCIAL REPORT.

Property—Church, wood, value $500.00.

Receipts—For all purposes—Pledges and subscriptions $32.00, collections in church $34.83, thank offering $35.90, income from other sources $5.00, total receipts for all purposes $107.73.

Disbursements—(1) *For current expenses*—Salary of rector $32.00; total for current expenses $32.00. *Contributions*—(1) *For objects in the Parish*—Extraordinary repairs and improvements $55.54; total contributions for objects in the Parish $55.54. (2) *For objects in the Diocese*—Salary of Bishops $5.00; Diocesan missions $5.00; convocation missions $3.00; total contributions for objects in the Diocese $13.00. (3) *For objects without the Diocese*—Domestic missions general $3.60;foreign missions general $3.59; total foreign missions $7.19; total contributions for objects without the Diocese $7.19.

Statement—Current expenses raised by congregation as above $32.00. Contributions—For objects in the Parish $55.54; for objects in the Diocese $13.00; for objects without the Diocese $7.19; total of contributions $75.73; all money raised by the congregation for current expenses and for contributions $107.73.

Remarks—St. John's is simply holding its own.

PAROCHIAL REPORT.

Rev. PACA KENNEDY, address St. Marys. St. John's Church, Ravenswood Parish, Ripley, Jackson county; date of organization 1851; present minister took charge September, 1904.

Church Officers—Church Wardens, W. T. Green; other Vestrymen, G. B.

Crow, Dan P. Crow, W. W. Armstrong, Dr. Petty, C. W. Starcher, Sam G. Starcher; Treasurer, Miss Anna Green, address Ripley; Supt. of Sunday Schools, W. T. Greer, Ripley; Sunday School Secretary and Treasurer, Harry Armstrong.

Official Acts—Marriages 1, burials 1, public services, Sundays 11, other days 8, total 21; Holy Communion, public 1, total 1.

Communicants—Number last reported 36, died 1, removed without letter 1, total loss 2; Net loss 2; present number total 34.

Congregations—Baptized persons connected with Parish 46, confirmed persons connected with Parish 34, families 15, number sittings in church 200, number free sittings 200.

Rector's Salary—As pledged from this congregation $80, as pledged from other congregations $535, total $615.

Organizations—Sunday School officers and teachers, female 3, total 3; pupils, male 9, female 25, total 34, Lenten offering $3.15, other offerings $18.39, total Sunday School offerings $21.54. *Other organizations*—St. John's Guild, 12 members.

Property—Church, frame, insurance $1,000, value $2,000.

FINANCIAL REPORT.

Receipts—For all purposes—Pledges and subscriptions $85.00, collections in church $25.77, Woman's Auxiliary, boxes, value $14.00, Guilds, or other societies $210.51, total receipts for all purposes $335.28.

Disbursements—(1) *For current expenses*—Salary of rector $53.34; ordinary repairs $19.60; other current expenses $4.60; R. R. fare of minister $15.00; team hire $8.00; total for current expenses $100.54. *Contributions* (1) *For objects in Parish*—Extraordinary repairs and improvements $156.87; Maintaining Sunday Schools $13.25; total contributions for objects in the Parish $170.12. (2) *For objects in the Diocese*—Salary of Bishops $15.00; Diocesan missions $15.00; convocation missions assessment $2.00; Sheltering Arms Hospital $2.70; Chester coll. $3.23; box rent Sheltering Arms $14.00; total contributions for objects in the Diocese $51.93. (3) *For objects without the Diocese*—Domestic missions general $7.50; foreign missions general $7.50; total foreign missions $15.00; total contributions for objects without the Diocese $15.00.

Statement—Current expenses raised by congregation as above $100.54. Contributions—For objects in the Parish $170.12; for objects in the Diocese $51.93; for objects without the Diocese $15.00; total contributions $237.05; all money raised by the congregation for current expenses and for contributions $337.59.

PAROCHIAL REPORT.

Rev. PACA KENNEDY, address St. Marys. Messiah Mission, Waverly, Wood county; present minister took charge September, 1904.

Church Officers—Treasurer, Miss Alice Corbitt.

Official Acts—Public services, Sundays 12, Holy Communion, public 1, total 12.

Communicants—Number last reported 10, removed without letter 5, total loss 5; net loss 5; present number total 5:

Congregations—Baptized persons connected with Parish 5, confirmed persons connected with Parish 5, families 3, number sittings in church 100; number free sittings 100.

Rector's Salary—As pledged from this congregation $50.00, as pledged from other congregations $565.00. total $615.00.

Property—Church wood, insurance $800.00, value $1,300.00. *Indebtedness*—On church $175.00, due on Diocesan assessment for missions $6.00, due on Diocesan assessment for Bishop's fund $7.50, total indebtedness $188.50.

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Receipts—For all purposes—Pledges and subscriptions $40.00; collections in church $19.56, contributions from without $20.00, total receipts for all purposes $79.56.

Disbursements—(1) *For current expenses*—Salary of rector $29.00; insurance $9.00; ordinary repairs $14.00; payment on debts contracted for current expenses $4.00; total current expenses $56.00. *Contributions*—(1) *For objects in the Parish*—Payment on debts for building &c., $15.00; total contributions for objects in the Diocese $15.00. (2) *For objects in the Diocese*—Salary of Bishops $2.50; Diocesan missions $4.00; total contributions for objects in the Diocese $6.50. (3) *For objects without the Diocese*—Domestic missions general $1.03; foreign missions general $1.03; total foreign missions $2.06; total contributions for objects without the Diocese $2.06.

Statement—Current expenses raised by congregation as above $56.00. Contributions—For objects in the Parish $15.00; for objects in the Diocese $6.50; for objects without the Diocese $2.06; total of contributions $23.56; all money raised by the congregation for current expenses and for contributions $79.56.

Remarks—Waverly is very weak. The assessments are too high.

PAROCHIAL REPORT.

Rev. ARTHUR M. LEWIS, address, Powellton, W. Va. St. David's Mission, Powellton, Fayette county; date of organization December 5th, 1886; present minister took charge September 1st, 1901.

Church Officers—Church Wardens, Thomas Price; other Vestrymen, Godwin H. Powel, D. T. Evans, Dr. A. W. DeBell, J. I. Absalom, D. Swain; Registrar, Dr. A. W. DeBell, address Powellton, W. Va.; Treasurer, D. Swain, address Powellton, W. Va.; Supt. of Sunday School, D. Swain, Powellton, W. Va.; Sunday School Secretary and Treasurer J. I. Absalom; Lay Reader, Godwin H. Powel.

Official Acts—Baptism, infants 7, adults 7, total 14; presented for confirmation since last report 8, marriages 1, burials 7, catechisings 20, public services, Sundays 46, other days 8, total 54; Holy Communion, public 7, total 7.

Communicants—Number last reported 34, admitted by confirmation 8, total gain 8; died 1, total loss 1; net gain 7; present number total 41.

Congregations—Baptized persons connected with Parish 73, confirmed persons connected with Parish 41, families 19, individuals not thus included 2, number sittings in church 110, number free sittings 110.

Rector's Salary—As pledged from this congregation $402.00, as pledged from other congregations $570.00, total $972.00.

Organizations—Sunday School, officers and teachers, male 4, female 4, total 8; pupils, male 31, female 34, total 65; Advent offering $12.25, Lenten offering $17.14, other offerings $37.51, total Sunday School offerings $66.90. *Other Organizations*—Ladies' Aid Society 18 members, Rector's Guild, 8 members.

Property—Chancel Furniture, &c., value $328.00, rectory furniture, &c., $148.15, total value $476.15.

FINANCIAL REPORT.

Receipts—For all purposes—Cash on hand per last report $201.09, pledges and subscriptions $420.30, collections in church $105.59, Sunday School $37.51, Ladies' Aid Society $31.52, Guilds, or other societies, Rector's Guild $28.89, income from other sources $166.39, total receipts for all purposes $991.29.

Disbursements—(1) *For current expenses*—Salary of rector $402.00 ordinary repairs $12.00; other current expenses $113.19; total for current expenses $527.19. *Contributions*—(1) *For objects in the Parish*—Communion alms $9.09; extraordinary repairs and improvements $80.49; maintaining Sunday Schools $37.51; total contributions for objects in the Parish $127.09. (2) *For objects in the Diocese*—Salary of Bishops $23.00. permanent fund $20.83; Diocesan missions $20.00; convocation fund $2.00; widows and orphans, aged and disabled clergy fund $4.69; Sheltering Arms Hospital $116.70; Bishop's special fund $10.00; total contributions for objects in the Diocese $197.22. (3) *For objects without the Diocese*—Domestic missions general $18.98; foreign missions general $18.99; total contributions for objects without the Diocese $37.97.

Statement—Current expenses raised by congregation as above $527.19. Contributions—For objects in the Parish $127.09; for objects in the Diocese $197.22; for objects without the Diocese $37.97; total of contributions $362.28; all money raised by the congregation for current expenses and for contributions $889.47; cash in hand $101.82; total $991.29.

PAROCHIAL REPORT.

Rev. ARTHUR M. LEWIS, address, Powellton, W. Va. Redeemer Church

Ansted, Fayette county; date of organization 1879; present minister took charge September 1 1901.

Church Officers—Church Wardens Wm. N. Page; other Vestrymen, Wm. N. Page, J. C. R. Taylor, J. R. Brashears, Patrick Moran, R. C. Taylor, W. H. Evans; Registrar, J. C. K. Taylor, address Ansted, W. Va.; Treasurer, W. H. Evans, address Ansted, W. Va.; Supt. of Sunday School, R. C. Taylor, Ansted, W. Va.; Sunday School Secretary and Treasurer, J. C. R. Taylor.

Official Acts—Baptisms, infants 8, total 8; presented for confirmation since last report 2, burials 1, catechisings 20, public services, Sundays, 22, other days 15, total 37; Holy Communion, public 7, total 7.

Communicants—Number last reported 36, admitted by confirmation 2, total gain 2; net gain 2; present number total 38.

Congregations—Baptized persons connected with this Parish 83, confirmed persons connected with this Parish 38, families 15, individuals not thus included 2, number sittings in church 200, number free sittings 200, number sittings in Sunday School room 50.

Rector's Salary—As pledged from this congregation $200.00, as pledged from other congregations $772.00, total $972.00.

Organizations—Sunday School, officers and teachers, male 2, female 4, total 6; pupils, male 25, female 35, total 60; Advent offering $6.57, Lenten offerings $10.00, other offerings $34.63, total Sunday School offerings $51.20, Parish schools, officers and teachers 2, scholars 50, total 52. *Other Organizations*—Ladies' Aid Society 8.

Property—Church, frame, value $3,000, Parish house, frame value $4,000, other property, value $500, total value $7,500. *Indebtedness*—On Parish House $150, money raised from outside sources $4,092.10, for new Parish building.

FINANCIAL REPORT.

Receipts—For all purposes—Cash on hand, per last report $331.37, pledges and subscriptions $122.75, collections in church $116.98, contingent fund $14.50, Sunday School $51.20, Ladies' Aid Money $50.00, Rev. B. M. Spurr $267.55, contributions from without $3,875.36, income from Parish School $158.35, total receipts for all purposes $4,988.06.

Disbursements—(1) *For current expenses*—Salary of rector $200.00; other salaries, janitor $12.00; other traveling expenses $9.00; total for current expenses $221.00. *Contributions*—(1) For objects in the Parish—Parish School $480.28; maintaining Sunday Schools $27.48; payment on debt for building, &c., $3,992.10; from Ladies' Aid Society paid on building $100.00; total contributions for objects in the Parish $4,599.86. (2) *For objects in the Diocese*—Salary of Bishops $20.00; Diocesan missions $20.00; convocation missions $2.00; Sheltering Arms Hospital $6.81; total contributions for objects in the Diocese $48.81. *For objects without the Diocese*—Domestic missions general $15.00; total domestic missions $15.00; for-

eign missions general $15.00; total foreign missions $15.00; total contributions for objects without the Diocese $30.00.

Statement—Contributions—For objects in the Parish $276.62; for objects in the Diocese $48.81; for objects without the Diocese $30.00; total of contributions $355.43; cash on hand $88.39.

PAROCHIAL REPORT.

Rev. ARTHUR M. LEWIS, address, Powellton. Calvary Church, Coal Valley Mission, Montgomery, Fayette county; date of organization 1878; present minister took charge September 1st, 1901.

Church Officers—Church Warden N. R. Coles; other Vestrymen, O. J. Henderson, Herbert Smith, W. K. Bridges, L. E. Rupert, W. N. Klase, Venable Johnson; Registrar, W. K. Bridges, address Smithers, W. Va.; Treasurer, Venable Johnson, address, Crescent, W. Va.; Supt. of Sunday Schools, Dr. L. E. Rupert, Montgomery, W .Va.; Sunday School Secretary and Treasurer, Miss Ora Smith.

Official Acts—Baptisms, infants 1, total 1; presented for confirmation since last report 1, marriages 1, catechisings 3; public services, Sundays, 29, other days 2, total 31; Holy Communion, public 5, total 5.

Communicants—Number last reported 19, received by letter 1, admitted by confirmation 1, aded otherwise 4, total gain 6; removed without letter 1, total loss 1; net gain 5; present number total 24.

Congregations—Baptized persons connected with Parish 37, confirmed persons connected with Parish 24, families 10, individuals not thus included 6, number sittings in church 200, number free sittings 200.

Rector's Salary—As pledged from this congregation $200.00, as pledged from other congregations $772.00, total $972.00.

Organizations—Sunday School, officers and teachers, male 1, female 2, total 3; pupils, male 13, female 7, total 20; Advent offering $2.50, Lenten offering $2.62, other offerings $12.57. *Other Organizations*—Ladies' Aid Society 17.

Property—Church, frame, insurance $1,200.00, value $1,500.00; rectory new, frame, insurance $2,500.00, value $3,500.00, lot, value $500.00; foundation $200.00, total value $5,700.00. *Indebtedness*—On church, chapel and rectory $2,500.00, due the minister $150.00, painting church $117.75, spouting rectory $40.00, total indebtedness $2,807.75.

FINANCIAL REPORT.

Receipts—For all purposes—cash on hand, per last report $22.27; pledges and subscriptions $133.60, collections in church $119.80, money borrowed $2,500.00, thank offerings, special fund $1.00, Sunday School $17.69, contingent fund $8.00, Guilds, or other societies, Ladies' Aid $167.86, income from other sources, rectory, &c., $1,263.37, total receipts for all purposes $4,233.59.

Disbursements—(1) *For current expenses*—Salary of rector $150.00; other salaries, sexton $15.00; insurance $100.84; interest on debt $37.50; other current expenses $17.35; rector's council expenses $6.00; Ladies' Aid Society $39.40; total for current expenses $366.09. *Contributions*—(1) *For objects in the Parish*—Extraordinary repairs and improvements refunding rectory fund $100.00; maintaining Sunday Schools $12.57; payment on debts for building &c., $3438.79; total contributions for objects in the Parish $3,551.36. (2) *For objects in the Diocese*—Salary of Bishops $15.00; Diocesan missions $16.75; convocation missions $1.00; widows and orphans, aged and disabled clergy fund $6.00; Sheltering Arms Hospital $5.05; Bishop's special fund $1.00; total contributions for objects in the Diocese $44.80. (3) *For objects without the Diocese*—Missions general $17.62; total contributions for objects without the Diocese $17.62.

Statement—Balance April 30, 1904, $22.27; current expenses raised by congregation as above $251.50. Contributions—For objects in the Parish $146.03; for objects in the Diocese $37.80; for objects without the Diocese $17.62; total of contributions $201.45; all money raised by the congregation for current expenses and for contributions $475.22; cash on hand $253.72.

EMMANUEL MT. CARBON.

Communicants 7, baptized non-communicants 12, Sunday services 7, week day services 24, funerals 1.

Rector's salary $29.00, Sheltering Arms Hospital $3.00, disabled clergy fund $2.00, Diocesan missions $5.00, contingent fund $5.00.

ST. TITUS, NUTTALLBURG.

Communicants 12, baptized non-communicants 8, week day services 14, communions 2, private communions 1, baptisms, infants 2, adults 3, confirmations 2.

Rector's salary $60.00, Diocesan missions $5.00, permanent fund $5.00, special fund $5.00, contingent fund $5.00.

GOOD SHEPHERD, FERRIS W. VA.

Communicants 4, baptized non-communicants 3, week day services 9.

Rector's salary $38.70, Diocesan missions $5.00.

DUBREE MISSION, DUBREE, W. VA.

Communicants 12, baptized non-communicants 25, services week day 1, Diocesan missions $2.00, hymnals for missions $1.50.

BEAUTY MISSION, BEAUTY, W. VA.

Communicants 5, baptized non-communicants 6, services week day 1.

MOUTH OF KEENEYS CREEK.

P. O. Nuttalburg, W. Va.

Comunicants 5, baptized non-communicants 4.

WYNDAL, W. VA.

Communicants 2, baptized non-communicants 6, services week day 1, infant baptisms 2, weddings 1.

PAGE, W. VA.

Communicants 6, baptized non-communicants 5, infant baptisms 2.

ARTHUR M. LEWIS.

PAROCHIAL REPORT.

Rev. JOS. W. LIVINGSTON, address Charles Town. Mission of Zion Church, St. Philips Mission, Charles Town, Jefferson county; date of organization, 1891; present minister took charge October 15, 1904.

Church Officers—Vestrymen, Philip Jackson, J. W. Tolbert, Eziekel Morris; Treasurer, J. W. Talbert, address Charles Town; Superintendent of Sunday School, B. C. Washington; Lay Reader, Philip Jackson.

Official Acts—Baptisms, infants 1, total 1; presented for confirmation since last report 6, burials 2, catechisings 5, public services, Sundays 48, other days 24, total 72; Holy Communion, public 12, private 6, total 18.

Communicants—Number last reported 23, admitted by confirmation 6, added otherwise 4, total gain 10; died 2, net gain 10, present number total 33.

Congregations—Confirmed persons connected with Parish 33, families 12, whole number of individuals 75, number sittings in church 300, number free sittings 300, number sittings in chapel 300, number sittings in Sunday School room 300.

Rector's Salary—As pledged from this congregation $50.00; from general board $400.00; total $450.00.

Organizations—Sunday School, officers and teachers, male 5, female 3, total 8; pupils, male 20, female 20, total 40; Advent offering $1.75, Lenten offering $6.80; total Sunday School offerings $8.55.

Property—Chapel, frame, insurance $1,150, value $900; rectory, frame, insurance $525; total value $1,425.

FINANCIAL REPORT.

Receipts—For all purposes—Collections in church $101.99, Sunday School $8.55, Bishop Peterkin $150.00, general board $400.00, total receipts for all purposes $660.54.

Disbursements—(1) *For current expenses*—Salary of rector $450.00; other salaries, sexton, $18.00; ordinary repairs $1.35; rent $12.00; total for current expenses $6.15. *Contributions*—(2) *For objects in the Diocese*—Diocesan missions $10.00. (3) *For objects without the Diocese*—Domestic missions general $10.00, total domestic missions $10.00; foreign missions general $10.00, total $20.00.

Statement—Current expenses raised by congregation as above $90.54.

Contributions—For objects in the Diocese $10.00; for objects without the Diocese $10.00; total of contributions $110.54; cash in hand $12.00.

Remarks—This report is from October 15, 1904, to May 3, 1905. There are some minor accounts not in hand at present.

PAROCHIAL REPORT.

Rev. JOHN TILTON MARLEY, address 247 Willey St. Trinity Church, Guy Allen Parish, Morgantown, Monongalia county; date of organization, 1860; present minister took charge October, 1900.

Church Officers—Church Wardens, Capt. W. C. Marshall, Prof. S. B. Brown; other Vestrymen, Col. J. C. Frazer, Mr. L. D. Beall, Mr. Bryan Gordon, Mr. Geo. Rodgers, Mr. Harry Zeverly, Dr. St. George T. Brooke, Dr. R. H. Edmundson, Prof. Fredk. Truscott; Registrar, Harry Zeverly, address North Front St.; Treasurer, Bryan Gordon, address No. 5 Cox and Boke Bld., Superintendent of Sunday School, John Tilton Marley, 247 Willey St.; Sunday School Secretary, Miss Kate Filch; Treasurer, Mr. Chas. Miller.

Official Acts—Baptisms, infants 4, adults 1, total 5; presented for confirmation since last report 7, marriages 2, burials 5, public services, Sundays 88, other days 48, total 136; Holy Communion, public 15, total 15.

Communicants—Number last reported 86.—Received by letter 2, admitted by confirmation 7, total gain 9; died 3, transferred 7, removed without letter 5, total loss 15; present number total 87.

Congregations—Baptized persons connected with Parish 113, confirmed persons connected with Parish 87, families 34, number of scattered communicants in your section not connected with any Parish 4, number sittings in church 225.

Rector's Salary—As pledged from this congregation $1,000; total $1,000.

Organizations—Sunday School, officers and teachers, male 3, female 4, total 7; pupils, male 23, female 28, total 51; Advent offering $5.10, Lenten offering $12.20, other offerings $6.20, total Sunday School offerings $23.50. *Other organizations*—Ladies Guild; Womans Home Miss. Society.

Property—Church, wood, insurance $3,500, value $9,000; other property, brick, insurance $12,000, value $18,000. *Indebtedness*—On other property $9,000, total indebtedness $9,000.

FINANCIAL REPORT.

Receipts—For all purposes—Cash on hand per last report $1,075.68, collections in church $311.24, Sunday School $18.64, Woman's Missionary Society $35.00, Ladies Guild $66.00, Guilds or other societies $50.00, income from other sources $900.00, total receipts for all purposes $2,456.56.

Disbursements—(1) *For current expenses*—Salary of rector $1,000; other salaries $188.00; insurance $37.00; ordinary repairs $10.00; interest

on debt $202.50; payment on debts contracted for current expenses $362.38; other current expenses $75.63; other objects $5.00; total for current expenses $1,880.51. *Contributions*—(1) *For objects in the Parish*—Communion alms $15.00; extraordinary repairs and improvements and taxes $400.00; maintaining Sunday School $6.72; total contributions for objects in the Parish $421.72. (2) *For objects in the Diocese*—Salary of Bishops $25.00; permanent fund $25.00; Diocesan missions $5.10; convocation missions $10.00; widows and orphans, aged and disabled clergy fund $6.85; Sheltering Arms Hospital $17.00; total contributions for objects in the Diocese $88.95. (3) *For objects without the Diocese*—Domestic missions general $51.81; total domestic missions $51.81; Brazil $6.00; Cuba $6.20; total foreign missions $12.20; total contributions for objects without the Diocese $64.01.

Statement—Current expenses raised by congregation as above $2,456.56. Contributions—For objects in the Parish $421.72; for objects in the Diocese $88.95; for objects without the Diocese $64.01; total of contributions $574.68; all money raised by the congregation for current expenses and for contributions $1,880.51, $2,455.19; cash in hand $1.37.

Remarks—$900 in column of receipts for all purposes comes as rent from the hall, out of which comes interest and repairs and taxes, making the receipts and expenses in the Parish much larger than they would be otherwise. The church owes the $9,000 on the Hall property.

PAROCHIAL REPORT.

Rev. C. E. A. MARSHALL, address, Shepherdstown. Trinity Church, St. Andrews Parish, Shepherdstown, Jefferson county; present minister took charge February 1, 1903.

Church Officers—Church Wardens, A. S. Dandridge, Sr., L. H. Moler, Jr.; other Vestrymen, Jno. O. Aglionby, J. S. Bragonier, P. P. Marshall, F. W. Muzzy, Dr. D. W. Border, L. R. Lee, Dr. Hop Gibson, Dr. J. L. Meyers; Registrar, J. S. Bragonier, address Shepherdstown, W. Va.; Treasurer, J. S. Bragonier, address Shepherdstown, W. Va.; Superintendent of Sunday School, A. S. Dandridge, Shepherdstown, W. Va.

Official Acts—Baptisms, infants 7, adults 1, total 8; burials 6, catechisings 20, public services, Sundays 154, other days 84, Holy Communion, public 15, total 15.

Communicants—Number last reported 150, admitted by confirmation 12, added otherwise 2, total gain 14; died 1 transferred 2, removed without letter 5, lapsed 8, total loss 16, net gain 148, present number total 150.

Congregations—Baptized persons connected with Parish 277, families 50.

Rector's Salary—As pledged from this congregation $600 total $600.

Organizations—Sunday School, officers and teachers, male 1, female 6, total 7; total 40.

Property—Church, stone, insurance $3,500, value $12.300; rectory, brick, insurance $3,500, value $6,000; Chapel "Good Shepherd" Duffields, frame, insurance $1,000, value $1,500.

FINANCIAL REPORT.

Receipts—For all purposes—Cash on hand per last report $150.99, error $55.00, $95.99, pledges and subscriptions $697.89, collections in church $324.41, Sunday School $28.18, Woman's Auxiliary, money $2.00, Guilds, or other societies $65.40, income from other sources $63.75; total receipts for all purposes $1,277.62.

Disbursements—(1) *For current expenses*—Salary of rector $600.00; other salaries $50.00; insurance $63.28; ordinary repairs $48.20; other current expenses $128.61; other objects $25.65; total for current expenses $915.74. *Contributions.*—(1) *For objects in the Parish*—Communion alms $38.00; Parish missions $11.20; Woman's Aux. $2.00; total contributions for objects in the Parish $51.20. (2) *For objects in the Diocese*—Salary of Bishops $63.75; permanent fund $1.20; Diocesan missions $75.00; convocation missions $35.00; widows and orphans, aged and disabled clergy fund $2.93; Sheltering Arms Hospital $5.58; Theological Seminary $4.53; Bishop's special fund $10.00; total contributions for objects in the Diocese $197.99. (3) *For objects without the Diocese*—Domestic missions general $28.74; Indians $1.30; Jews $1.31; total domestic missions $31.35; foreign missions general $38.41; total foreign missions $38.41; Am. Bible Society $3.00; total contributions for objects without the Diocese $72.76.

Statement—Contributions—For objects in the Parish $51.20; for objects in the Diocese $197.99; for objects without the Diocese $72.76; total of contributions $321.95; all money raised by the congregation for current expenses and for contributions, $915.74; cash in hand $39.93; total $1,277.02.

PAROCHIAL REPORT.

Rev. WALTER HOWARD MEYERS, address, Sutton, W. Va. St. Johns Church, Sutton Mission, Sutton, Braxton county; present minister took charge July 15, 1905.

Church Officers—Church Wardens, Amos Bright, W. E. Haymond; Registrar, Amos Bright, address, Sutton, W. Va.; Treasurer, Amos Bright, address Sutton, W. Va.

Official Acts—Baptisms, adults 1, total 1; presented for confirmation since last report 4, public services, Sundays 40, other days 15, total 55; Holy Communion, public 1, total 1.

Communicants—Number last reported 10, admitted by confirmation 4, added otherwise 2, total gain 6; died 1, lapsed 5, total loss 6; present number total 10.

Congregations—Baptized persons connected with Parish 27, confirmed persons connected with Parish 16, families 10, whole number of individuals 27, number of scattered communicants in your section not connected with any Parish 15, number sittings in church 150, number free sittings 150.

Rector's Salary—As pledged from this congregation $400.00, as pledged from other congregations $425.00; total $825.00.

Organizations—Sunday School, Lenten offering $1.60, total Sunday School offerings $1.60.

Property—Church, wood, insurance $1,000, value $1,500; total value, insurance $1,000, value $1,500. *Indebtedness*—Due the minister $208, total indebtedness $208.

FINANCIAL REPORT.

Receipts—For all purposes—Pledges and subscriptions $482.25, collections in church $82.33, Sunday School $1.60; total receipts for all purposes $366.18.

Disbursements—(1) *For current expenses*—Salary of rector $400.00; ordinary repairs $7.00; total for current expenses $407.00. *Contributions*—(1) *For objects in the Parish*—Extraordinary repairs and improvements $100.56; other objects $2.00; total contributions for objects in the Parish $102.56. (2) *For objects in the Diocese*—Salary of Bishops $10.00; Diocesan missions $10.00; convocation missions $5.40; widows and orphans, aged and disabled clergy fund $2.18; Sheltering Arms Hospital $2.20; other objects $7.74; total contributions for objects in the Diocese $37.52. (3) *For objects without the Diocese*—Domestic missions general $9.55; total domestic missions $9.55; foreign missions general $9.55; total foreign missions $9.55; total contributions for objects without the Diocese $19.10.

Statement—Current expenses raised by congregation as above $407.00. Contributions—For objects in the Parish $102.56; for objects in the Diocese $37.52; for objects without the Diocese $19.10; total of contributions $159.18; all money raised by the congregation for current expenses and for contributions $566.18.

Remarks—Financially, the Parish is up on everything. We have over paid our apportionment $9.10, have made some contribution towards outside objects, and have made repairs to the church property. Morally, I hope things are a little improved, as we have only the increased interest in church attendance by which to judge. Perhaps the condition of our people in this respect is as good as we could expect it to be in Sutton. Those who are faithful, are so in a marked degree, but there are some that should be who are not in the least interested. The people need training in church work, etc.

PAROCHIAL REPORT.

Rev. WALTER HOWARD MEYERS, address, Sutton, W. Va. The Transfiguration Church, Upshur County Mission, Buckhannon, Upshur county; date of organization August 1, 1903; present minister took charge July 15, 1905.

Church Officers—Church Wardens, C. C. Higginbotham, W. H. Fisher; Registrar, J. J. Singleton, address Buckhannon, W. Va.; Treasurer C. O. Latham, address Buckhannon, W. Va.; Superintendent of Sunday School W. H. Meyers, Buckhannon, W. Va.; Sunday School Secretary and Treasurer, Miss Mary Higginbotham.

Official Acts—Presented for confirmation since last report 2, public services, Sundays 30, other days 18, total 48; Holy Communion, public 3, total 3.

Communicants—Number last reported 25, admitted by confirmation 2, restored to communion 1, total gain 3; removed without letter 2, net gain 3, present number total 28.

Congregations—Baptized persons connected with Parish 30, confirmed persons connected with Parish 28, families 14, indivduals not thus included 1, whole number of individuals 31, number sittings in church 250, number free sittings 250.

Rector's Salary—As pledged from this congregation $200; as pledged from other congregations $625, total $825.

Organizations—Sunday School, officers and teachers, male 1, female 1, total 2; pupils, female 8, total 8; Lenten offering $5.20, other offerings $3.75, total Sunday School offerings $8.95. *Other organizations*—Ladies Aid Society; Girls Choir Chapter.

Property—Church, wood, insurance $1,500, value $3,000; total value, insurance $1,500, value $3,000. *Indebtedness*—Due the minister $46.30, total indebtedness $46.30.

FINANCIAL REPORT.

Receipts—For all purposes—Cash on hand per last report $1.46, pledges and subscriptions $146.50, collections in church $42.73, thank offerings $2.80, Sunday School $8.95, Guilds or other Societies $62.32, total receipts for all purposes $264.76.

Disbursements—(1) *For current expenses*—Salary of rector $153.70; other salaries $14.00; insurance $25.50; ordinary repairs $17.25; other current expenses $7.60; other objects $5.11; total for current expenses $223.16. *Contributions*—(1) *For objects in the Parish*—Extraordinary repairs and improvements $6.30; total contributions for objects in the Parish $6.30. (2) *For objects in the Diocese*—Salary of Bishops $10.00; Diocesan missions $10.00; convocation missions $2.60; widows and orphans, aged and disabled clergy fund $2.20; Sheltering Arms Hospital $2.80; total contributions for objects in the Diocese $27.60. (3) *For objects without the*

Diocese—Domestic missions general $3.85; total domestic missions $3.85; missions general $3.85; total foreign missions $3.85; total contributions for objects without the Diocese $7.70.

Statement—Current expenses raised by congregation as above $223.16; Contributions—For objects in the Parish $6.30; for objects in the Diocese $27.60; for objects without the Diocese $7.70; total of contributions $41.60; all money raised by the congregation for current expenses and for contributions $264.76.

Remarks—The congregation has not assumed heavy responsibilities during the past year and consequently is doing very well financially. Attendance on services is very good. The people appear interested and are doing as well perhaps as could reasonably be expected. The work is small and the greatest difficulty is to keep the people from becoming discouraged. Some growth of the town seems to be reasonably assured and we are in hopes that the church may grow in proportion. The condition of the mission is perhaps in as healthy a condition as could be expected under the various adverse conditions that obtain.

PAROCHIAL REPORT.

Rev. WALTER HOWARD MEYERS, address, Sutton, W. Va. Spruce Chapel Church, Lorentz Parish, Lorentz, Upshur county; present minister took charge July 15, 1905.

Church Officers—Church Warden, William Loudin, Atlas, W. Va.; Registrar, G. W. Spaulding, address Atlas, W. Va.; Treasurer, John Dowell, address Atlas, W. Va.; Superintendent of Sunday School, Mrs. Olive Marple, Atlas, W. Va.; Sunday School Secretary and Treasurer, Miss Mary Dowell.

Official Acts—Baptisms, infants 1, total 1; public services, Sundays 10, other days 8, total 18; Holy Communion, public 4, private 1, total 5.

Communicants—Number last reported 11, removed without letter 1, total loss 1, present number total 10.

Congregations—Baptized persons connected with Parish 21, confirmed persons connected with Parish 10, families 6, whole number of individuals 21, number sittings in church 80, number free sittings 80.

Organizations—Sunday School, officers and teachers, male 1, female 3, total 4; pupils, male 10, female 12, total 22; Lenten offering $1.00, total Sunday School offerings $1.00.

Property—Church, wood, insurance $500, value $800; rectory, wood, value $400, total value, insurance $500, value $1,200.

FINANCIAL REPORT.

Receipts—For all purposes—Pledges and subscriptions $23.00, collec-

tions in church $3.40, Sunday School $4.10, total receipts for all purposes $30.50.

Disbursements—(1) *For current expenses*—Salary of rector $10.00; insurance $5.00; ordinary repairs $3.50; total for current expenses $18.50. *Contributions*—(1) *For objects in the Parish*—Maintaining Sunday School $2.10; other objects 50c.; total contributions for objects in the Parish $2.60. (2) *For objects in the Diocese*—Salary of Bishops $4.00; convocation missions 40c.; total contributions for objects in the Diocese $4.40. (3) *For objects without the Diocese*—Domestic missions general $2.50; total domestic missions $2.50; foreign missions general $2.50; total foreign missions $2.50; total contributions for objects without the Diocese $5.00.

Statement—Current expenses raised by congregations as above $18.50. Contributions—For objects in the Parish $2.60; for objects in the Diocese $4.40; for objects without the Diocese $5.00; total of contributions $12.00; al money raised by the congregation for current expenses and for contributions $30.50.

Remarks—Our people are better off here spiritually than they are financially, and they are doing as well in the latter respect perhaps as we have a right to expect. They are in earnest and attend the services well.

PAROCHIAL REPORT.

Rev. WALTER HOWARD MEYERS, address, Sutton, W. Va. Present minister took charge July 15, 1904.

Other Missions—Gassaway, Burnsville, Flatwoods, Centralia, Camden-on-Gauley, Richwood, Rupert, Webster Springs.

Official Acts—Public services 15, total 15.

Communicants—Present number total, 14.

Congregations—Baptized persons connected with Parish 34, confirmed persons connected with Parish 14, families 12, whole number of individuals 34.

Rector's Salary—As pledged from these congregations $225; total $225.

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Receipts—For all purposes—Pledges and subscriptions $8.00; total receipts for all purposes $8.00.

Disbursements—For current expenses—Salary of rector $8.00; total for current expenses $8.00.

Statement—Current expenses raised by congregation as above $8.00; all money raised by the congregation for current expenses and for contributions $8.00.

Remarks—Our people are so widely scattered at these points that it is next to an impossibility to minister to them with any degree of efficiency

and thus in some instances to arouse and in others to strengthen a dying interest in a distant church. It is remarkable that they cling to the church as well as they do. Thus these scattered ones not having the spiritual interest that they might have, neither have any other kind of interest in any marked degree, excepting one or two notable exceptions.

PAROCHIAL REPORT.

Rev. AUSTIN B. MITCHELL, address, Williamstown. Christ Memorial Church, Williamstown, Wood county; present minister took charge August, 1903.

Church Officers—Church Wardens, J. W. Snodgrass, Charles Hunter; other Vestrymen, H. C. Henderson, A. T. Henderson, R. Hammatt, J. F. Snodgrass; Registrar, H. C. Henderson, address Williamstown; Treasurer, A. T. Henderson, address Williamstown; Superintendent of Sunday School, H. C. Henderson, Williamstown; Sunday School Secretary and Treasurer, Miss Fannie Biddle; Lay Reader, H. C. Henderson.

Official Acts—Baptisms, infants 1, adults 1, total 2; presented for confirmation since last report 1, marriages 1, burials 3, catechisings 4, public services, Sundays 52, other days 6, total 58; Holy Communion, public 11, total 11.

Communicants—Number last reported 27, admitted by confirmation 1, total gain 1; net gain 1, present number total 28.

Congregations—Baptized persons connected with Parish 62, confirmed persons connected with Parish 28, families 20, individuals not thus included 20, whole number of individuals 48, number sittings in church 150, number free sittings, all.

Rector's Salary—As pledged from this congregation $200, from Diocesan missions $200, as pledged from other congregations $400, total $800.

Organizations—Sunday School, officers and teachers, male 1, female 5, total 6; pupils, male 8, female 13, total 21; Advent offering $9.00, Lenten offering $10.64; other offerings $63.81; total Sunday School offerings $83.45; Woman's Auxiliary, members, 15. *Other organizations*—Juniors, 8; Sewing School, 13.

Property—Church, wood, insurance $1,500, value $2,500; rectory, wood, insurance $1,700, value $3,500. total value $6,000. *Indebtedness*—On rectory $1,500.

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Receipts—For all purposes—Pledges and subscriptions $172.90, collections in church $65.75, Sunday School $83.45, Woman's Auxiliary, money $71.07, Guilds or other societies $10.00, contributions from without $112.00, income from other sources $135.29, total receipts for all purposes $650.46.

Disbursements—(1) *For current expenses*—Salary of rector $172.90;

Insurance $39.09; interest on debt $45.00; other current expenses $9.55; total for current expenses $266.54. *Contributions*—(1) *For objects in the Parish*—Extraordinary repairs and improvements $12.65; Parish missions $14.57; maintaining Sunday Schools $17.62; rectory fund $257.01; total contributions for objects in the Parish $301.85.. (2) *For objects in the Diocese*—Salary of Bishops $5.00; Diocesan missions $12.20; convocation missions $4.50; religious and theological education $3.00; Sheltering Arms Hospital 65c; Ansted $1.00; central fund $1.00; woman's mite $5.75; total contributions for objects in the Diocese $33.10. (3) *For objects without the Diocese*—Foreign missions general $36.24; Brazil $1.00; total foreign missions $37.24; total contributions for objects without the Diocese $37.24.

Statement—Current expenses raised by congregation as above $266.54. Contributions—For objects in the Parish $301.85; for objects in the Diocese $33.10; for objects without the Diocese $37.24; total of contributions $372.19; all money raised by congregations, $638.73.

PAROCHIAL REPORT.

Rev. AUSTIN B. MITCHELL, address, Williamstown. Memorial Chapel of Good Shepherd Mission, Parkersburg, Wood county.

Church Officers—Registrar, W. G. Peterkin, address Parkersburg; Treasurer W. G. Peterkin, address, Parkersburg; Supt. of Sunday Schools, Simms Powell; Sunday School Secretary and Treasurer, W. G. Peterkin; Lay Readers, Simms Powell and W. G. Peterkin.

Official Acts—Baptisms, infants 10, adults 3, total 13; presented for confirmation since last report 4, burials 2, catechisings 5, public services, Sundays, 52, other days 6, total 58; Holy Communion, public 6, total 6.

Comunicants—Number last reported 15, admitted by confirmation 4, added otherwise 1, total gain 5, transferred 1, removed without letter 1, total loss 2; net gain 3, present number total 18.

Congregations—Baptized persons connected with Parish 35, confirmed persons connected with Parish 20, families 18, individuals not thus included 22, whole number of individuals 57, number sittings in church 200, number free sittings 200.

Rector's Salary—As pledged from this congregation $400, from Diocesan missions $200, as pledged from other congregations $200, total $800.

Organizations—Sunday School, officers and teachers, male 3, female 11, total 14; pupils, male 80, female 90, total 170. *Others organizations*—Ladies Aid, 18 members; Girls Sun Shine, 15 members; Sewing School, 70 members; Boys Club, 20 members.

Property—Church, wood, value $10,000.

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Receipts—For all purposes—Pledges and subscriptions $555.85, collec-

tions in church $436.68, thank offerings $9.50, Sunday School $68.80, Guilds or other societies $122.89, income from other sources $59.40, total receipts for all purposes $1,254.12.

Disbursements—(1) *For current expenses*—Salary of rector $400; other salaries $59.00; insurance $82.50; other objects $23.00; total for current expenses $564.50. *Contributions*—(1) *For objects in the Parish*—Communion alms $11.00; extraordinary repairs and improvements $72.30; other objects $40.00; total contributions for objects in the Parish $123.30. (2) *For objects in the Diocese*—Salary of Bishops $20.00; permanent fund $10.00; Diocesan missions $111.48; convocation missions $9.50; widows and orphans, aged and disabled clergy fund $20.00; religious and theological education $8.00; Sheltering Arms Hospital $19.00; Theological Seminary $6.00; Bishop's special fund $50.00; other objects $7.34; total contributions for objects in the Diocese $261.32. (3) *For objects without the Diocese*—Domestic missions general $95.00; colored people $10.00; Indians $5.00; deaf and dumb $12.00; Jews $1.00; Thro' American Ch. Miss. Society $46.00; total domestic missions $169.00; foreign missions general $90.00; for Mexico $5.00; Brazil $12.50; Cuba $12.50; total foreign missions $125.00; American Church Building Fund $3.00; General Clergy Relief Fund $5.00; Bible and Prayer Book Society $3.50; total contributions for objects without the Diocese $305.50.

Statement—Current expenses raised by congregation as above $564.50. Contributions—For objects in the Parish $123.30; for objects in the Diocese $261.32; for objects without the Diocese $305.50; total of contributions $690.12; all money raised by the congregation for current expenses and for contributions $1,254.62.

PAROCHIAL REPORT.

Rev. AUSTIN B. MITCHELL, address, Williamstown. Grace Chapel Church Mission, Newport, Wood county; present minister took charge August, 1903.

Church Officers—Treasurer, Miss Jennie Tavenner, address New Port; Superintendent of Sunday School, Fred Bargeloh, R. F. D. No. 3, Parkersburg; Sunday School Secretary and Treasurer, Miss Julia Black, New Port.

Official Acts—Baptisms, infants 1, total 1; catechisings 4, public services, Sundays 7, other days 31, total 38; Holy Communion, public 4, total 4.

Communicants—Number last reported 10, present number total 10.

Congregations—Baptized persons connected with Parish 20, confirmed persons connected with Parish 10, families 8, individuals not thus included 20, whole number of individuals 40, number of sittings in church 100.

Organizations—Sunday Schools, officers and teachers, male 1, female 4,

total 5; pupils, male 10, female 15, total 25; Advent offering $5.00, Lenten offering $10.10, other offerings $5.00; total Sunday School offerings $20.10. *Other organizations*—Ladies Aid, members 14.

Property—Church, value $1,200, total value $1,200.

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Receipts—For all purposes—Pledges and subscriptions $60.00, collections in church $17.21, Sunday School $20.10; Ladies Aid Society $50.00, total receipts for all purposes $147.31.

Disbursements—(1) *For current expenses*—Salary of rector $37.00; other current expenses $5.00; total for current expenses $42.00. *Contributions*—(1) *For objects in the Parish*—Extraordinary repairs and improvements $20.00; maintaining Sunday School $9.00; total contributions for objects in the Parish $29.00. (2) *For objects in the Diocese*—Salary of Bishops $5.00; Diocesan missions $20.00; convocation missions $3.00; widows and orphans, aged and disabled clergy fund $1.00; religious and theological education $3.00; total contributions for objects in the Diocese $32.00. (3) *For objects without the Diocese*—Foreign missions general $20.10; total contributions for objects without the Diocese $20.10.

Statement—Current expenses raised by congregation as above $42.00. Contributions—For objects in the Parish $29.00; for objects in the Diocese $32.00; for objects without the Diocese $20.10; total of contributions $81.10; all money raised by the congregation for current expenses and for contributions $147.31; cash in hand $24.21.

PAROCHIAL REPORT.

Rev. C. HELY MOLONY, address, New Martinsville. St. Ann Church, Wetzel Parish, New Martinsville, Wetzel county; date of organization January 15, 1851; present minister took charge April 1, 1905.

Church Officers—Church Wardens, Saml. R. Martin, Bruce Hall; other Vestrymen, Wm. McG. Hall, John F. Martin, Leslie J. Williams, Jno. H. Bridgeman, A. B. Johnson; Registrar, John F. Martin, address New Martinsville; Treasurer, Leslie J. Williams, address New Martinsville; Superintendent of Sunday Schools John F. Martin, New Martinsville; Sunday School Secretary, A. B. Johnson; Sunday School Treasurer, S. R. Martin.

Official Acts—Marriages 6, burials 1, public services, Sundays 48, other days 15, total 63; Holy Communion, public 8, total 8.

Communicants—Number last reported 50, total loss 10, present number total 40.

Congregations—Baptized persons connected with Parish 67; confirmed persons connected with Parish 51, families 25, number sittings in church 250, number free sittings 250, number sittings in chapel 75.

Rector's Salary—As pledged from this congregation $700; from Diocesan missions $100, total $800.

Organizations—Sunday School, officers and teachers, male 3, female 5, total 8; pupils, male 9, female 16, total 25; Advent offering $4.90, Lenten offering $7.70, other offerings $13.49, total Sunday School offerings $26.09. *Other organizations*—Sr. Ladies Aid Society, 13; Jr. Ladies Aid Society, 11; Ladies Guild, 5.

Property—Church, wood, insurance $3,000, value $6,500; chapel, wood, value $800; rectory, wood, insurance $1,000, value $2,000; other property 2 lots. value $2,000; total value $11,300. *Indebtedness*—On church $2,760, total indebtedness $2,760.

FINANCIAL REPORT.

Receipts—For all purposes—Cash on hand, per last report $13.03, pledges and subscriptions $700.00, collections in church $286.08, Sunday School $39.12, Guilds or other societies $200.87, total receipts for all purposes $1,239.10.

Disbursements—(1) *For current expenses*—Salary of rector $466.88; ordinary repairs $125.91; interest on debt $165.60; other current expenses $23.95; total for current expenses $782.34. *Contributions*—(1) *For objects in the Parish*—Communion alms $7.01; maintaining Sunday Schools $11.89; total contributions for objects in the Parish $18.90. (2) *For objects in the Diocese*—Salary of Bishops $40.00; permanent fund $5.74; Diocesan missions $40.00; religious and theological education $2.70; Sheltering Arms Hospital $8.30; Theological Seminary $2.23; Bishop's special fund $15.00; total contributions for objects in the Diocese $113.97. (3) *For objects without the Diocese*—Domestic missions general $15.88; Indians 95; deaf and dumb $2.27; total domestic missions $19.10; Thro' American Ch. Miss. Society $1.40; Brazil 80c.; Cuba 76c.; total foreign missions $2.96; total contributions for objects without the Diocese $22.06.

Statement—Current expenses raised by congregation as above $782.34. for objects in the Parish $18.90; for objects in the Diocese $113.97; for objects without the Diocese $22.06; total of contributions $154.93; all money raised by the congregation for current expenses and for contributions $937.27; cash in hand $44.75.

Remarks—This report is from May 1, 1904, to December 1, 1904, Mr. Shaw, Rector, and the month of April, 1905, during which time I have been in charge, and is correct as far as my information goes. The only item doubtful that I know of is "official acts." This as reported is from the register. In comparing the report it should be borne in mind that there were four months in 1904 during which time there was no Rector, and only occasional services, consequently the regular offerings were not taken and the envelopes for the vacant days were not used by the people. —C. HELY MOLONY.

PAROCHIAL REPORT.

Rev. FRANCIS MOORE, address, Elm Grove, W. Va. St. Pauls Mission, Elm Grove, Ohio county; present minister took charge August 23, 1903.

Church Officers—Trustees, Mr. C. C. Woods, Mr. Samuel Patterson, Mr. Geo. Gilchrist; Committee, Mr. H. Mahn, Mr. E. H. Crockard, Mr. Nelson Cecil, Miss Kimmins; Registrar, E. H. Crockard, address Elm Grove, W. Va.; Treasurer, C. C. Woods, address Elm Grove, W. Va.; Superintendent of Sunday School, C. C. Woods, Elm Grove, W. Va.; Sunday School Secretary and Treasurer, Mrs. B. C. Ryan.

Official Acts—Baptisms, infants 6, adults 1, total 7; presented for confirmation since last report 3, marriages 5, burials 6, catechisings 12, public services, Sundays 80, other days 21, total 101; Holy Communion, public 16, total 16.

Communicants—Number last reported 27, admitted by confirmation 3, total gain 3, net gain 3, present number total 30.

Congregations—Baptized persons connected with Parish 50, confirmed persons connected with Parish 2, families 21, individuals not thus included 10, whole number of individuals 50, number sittings in church 80, number free sittings 80, number sittings in Sunday School room (church) 80.

Rector's Salary—As pledged from this congregation $600.00, from Diocesan missions $200.00, as pledged from other congregations $200.00, total $1,000.

Organizations—Sunday Schools, officers and teachers, male 3, female 3, total 6; pupils, male 16, female 24, total 40; Advent offering $3.66; Lenten offering $3.73; total Sunday School offerings $7.39. *Other organizations*—Chancel Chapter; Jane Pryor Society.

Property—Church, wood. insurance $1,500; rectory, wood, insurance $2,800, value $3,700. *Indebtedness*—On rectory $2,922, total indebtedness $2,922; money raised from outside sources $50, for debt on rectory.

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Receipts—For all purposes—Cash on hand per last report $53.14; pledges and subscriptions $514.90, collections in church $161.27, money borrowed $2,972, Sunday School $7.39, Guilds, or other societies $115.00, contributions from without $50.00, total receipts for all purposes $3,873.70.

Disbursements—(1) *For current expenses*—Salary of rector $600.00; insurance (for 3 years) $63.75; interest on debt $58.70; total for current expenses $722.45. *Contributions*—(1) *For objects in the Parish*—Payment on debts for building, &c. $2,972; recording deed, etc., $6.25; miscellaneous expenses $29.01; paid on rectory $50.00; total contributions for objects in the Parish $3,057.26. (2) *For objects in the Diocese*—Permanent fund $4.66; Diocesan missions $15.00; convocation missions $2.50; Sheltering Arms Hospital $6.30; Bishop's special fund $12.00; total contributions for objects in the Diocese $40.46. (3) *For objects without the*

Diocese—Domestic missions general $3.57; total domestic missions $3.57; foreign missions general $3.73; Brazil $2.16; Cuba $2.16; total foreign missions $8.05; General Clergy Relief Fund $5.37; Bible and Prayer Book Society $2.00; total contributions for objects without the Diocese $18.99.

Statement—Current expenses raised by congregation as above $722.45. Contributions—For objects in the Diocese $40.46; for objects without the Diocese $18.99; all money raised by the congregation for current expenses and for contributions $890.81; cash in hand $34.54.

PAROCHIAL REPORT.

Rev. FRANCIS MOORE, address, Elm Grove, W. Va. New Cumberland Mission, New Cumberland; date of organization October, 1904; present minister took charge November 12, 1904.

Church Officers—Church committee, Mr. S. G. Gaillard, Warden; Registrar, Mr. A. W. Brown, address New Cumberland; Treasurer, Mr. E. P. Morphy, address New Cumberland.

Official Acts—Public services, Sundays 11, total 11; Holy Communion 5, total 5.

Communicants—Present number total 10.

Congregations—Baptized persons connected with Parish 26, confirmed persons connected with Parish 10, families 10.

Rector's Salary—As pledged from this congregation $200, total $200.

FINANCIAL REPORT.

Receipts—For all purposes—Pledges and subscriptions $148.59, collections in church $10.50, total receipts for all purposes $159.09.

Disbursements—(1) *For current expenses*—Salary of rector $85.02; rent of hall $3.00; total current expenses $88.02. *Contributions*—(2) *For objects in the Diocese*—Diocesan missions $6.00; total contributions for objects in the Diocese $6.00. (3) *For objects without the Diocese*—Domestic missions general $2.00; total domestic missions $2.00; foreign missions general $2.50; total foreign missions $2.50; total contributions for objects without the Diocese $4.50.

Statement—Current expenses raised by congregation as above $88.02; Contributions—For objects in the Diocese $6.00; for objects without the Diocese $4.50; total of contributions $10.50; all money raised by the congregation for current expenses and for contributions $159.09; cash in hand $60.57.

Remarks—Service is held in the Court House at present and the congregation averages about 35 people, many coming from the various sects. I hope to have three or four persons for confirmation this Fall.

PAROCHIAL REPORT.

Rev. S. SCOLLAY MOORE, D. D., address, Parkersburg. Trinity Par-

ish, Parkersburg, Wood county; date of organization, 1843; present minister took charge April 15, 1888.

Church Officers—Church Wardens, Dr. W. H. Sharp, Dr. T. B. Camden; other Vestrymen, Mr. B. M. Ambler, Mr. J. N. Camden, Mr. W. N. Chancellor, Mr. C. C. Martin, Mr. H. H. Moss, Mr. Simms Powell, Mr. W. J. Robb, Mr. B. D. Spilman, Mr. W. M. Trevor, Mr. W. Vrooman; Registrar, Mr. Simms Powell, address Parkersburg; Treasurer, Dr. W. H. Sharp, address Parkersburg; Superintendent of Sunday School Hon. H. H. Moss, Jr., Parkersburg; Sunday School Secretary and Treasurer, Mr. Cecil Fitzhugh.

Official Acts—Baptisms, infants 14, adults 7, total 21; presented for confirmation since last report 17, marriages 31, burials 24, public services, Sundays 103, other days 119, total 222; Holy Communion, public 34, total 34.

Communicants—Number last reported 308, received by letter 2, admitted by confirmation 17, added otherwise 7, total gain 26; died 1, removed without letter 16, total loss 17; net gain 9, present number total 317.

Congregations—Baptized persons connected with Parish 525, confirmed persons connected with Parish 325, families 200, individuals not thus included 50, whole number of individuals 600, number sittings in church 550, number free sittings 100, number sittings in Sunday School room 200.

Rector's Salary—As pledged from this congregation $1,800, total $1,800.

Organizations—Sunday School, officers and teachers, male 4, female 12, total 16; pupils, male 46, female 71, total 117; Advent offering $20.45, Lenten offering $21.86, other offerings $32.22, total Sunday School offerings $74.53; Woman's Auxiliary, members, 37. *Other Organizations*—Woman's Guild, members, 60; Junior Auxiliary, members, 34; King's Daughters, members, 18; Church Periodical Club, members, 30.

Property—Church, stone, insurance $8,000, value $30,000; rectory, brick, insurance $3,000, value $9,000; Sun. School room, brick, insurance $2,300, value $7,000; other property, insurance $3,300, value $5.500; Episcopal residence, brick, insurance $6,000, value $15,000; total value, insurance $22,600, value $66,500. *Indebtedness*—On rectory $215, other debts $850, total indebtedness $1,065.

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Receipts—For all purposes—Pledges and subscriptions $1,210.86, pew rent $2,331.61, collections in church $1,313.80, money borrowed $100, thank offerings $86.50, Sunday School $74.53, Woman's Auxiliary, money $277.00, Woman's Auxiliary Boxes, value $234.00, Guilds or other societies $538.90, total receipts for all purposes $6,167.20.

Disbursements—(1) *For current expenses*—Salary of rector $1,800; other salaries $996.25; insurance $195.00; ordinary repairs $112.55; other current expenses $359.29; total for current expenses $3,463.09. *Contri-*

butions—(1) *For objects in the Parish*—Communion alms $18.15; Parish missions $182.65; maintaining Sunday Schools $51.92; for Parochial mission $86.50; Florence Crittendon Home by King's Daughters $20.00; total contributions for objects in the Parish $359.22. (2) *For objects in the Diocese*—Salary of Bishops $500.00; permanent fund $4.26; Diocesan missions $505.50; convocation missions $78.50; widows and orphans, aged and disabled clergy fund $80.30; Sheltering Arms Hospital $68.47; Bishop's special fund $372.00; box from Woman's Auxiliary $140.00; for genl. conven. expenses $100.00; total contributions for objects in the Diocese $1,849.03. (3) *For objects without the Diocese*—Domestic missions general $61.43; total domestic missions $61.43; foreign missions general $58.43; for China $63.00; total foreign missions $121.43; specials, boxes, &c., $94.00; united offering Woman's Auxiliary $189.00; Church Periodical Club $30.00; total contributions for objects without the Diocese $495.86.

Statement—Current expenses raised by congregation as above $3,363.09. Contributions—For objects in the Parish $359.22; for objects in the Diocese $1,849.03; for objects without the Diocese $495.86; total of contributions $2,704.11; all money raised by the congregation for current expenses and for contributions $6,067.20.

PAROCHIAL REPORT.

Rev. S. SCOLLAY MOORE, D. D., adress, Parkersburg. St. Stephen's Church, Trinity Parish, Parkersburg, Wood county; date of organization 1896; present minister took charge 1896.

Official Acts—Public services, Sundays 38, total 38; Holy Communion, public 3, total 3.

Communicants—Number last reported 8, present number total 8.

Congregations—Baptized persons connected with Parish 12, confirmed persons connected with Parish 9, families 6, whole number of individuals 20, number sittings in Chapel 40.

Property—Chapel, frame, insurance $600.00, value $900.00; other property $100.00; total value, insurance $600.00; value $1,000. *Indebtedness*—On chapel $350, total indebtedness $350.

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Receipts—For all Purposes—Collections in church $21.67, interest from investments $40.00, Guilds or other societies $16.00, contributions from without $163.65, total receipts for all purposes $241.32.

Disbursements—(1) *For current expenses*—Interest on debt $19.50; other current expenses $25.15; total for current expenses $44.65. *Contributions*—(1) *For objects in the Parish*—Extraordinary repairs and improvements $45.00; payment on debts for building, &c., $150.00; total contributions for objects in the Parish $195.00. (2) *For objects in the Dio-*

cese—Diocesan missions 84c, total contributions for objects in the Diocese 84c. (3) *For objects without the Diocese*—Domestic missions general 41c, total domestic missions 41c; foreign missions general 42c, total foreign missions 42c; total contributions for objects without the Diocese 83c.

Statement—Current expenses raised by congregation as above $44.65. Contributions—For objects in the Parish $31.35; for objects in the Diocese 84c; for objects without the Diocese 83c; total of contributions $33.02; all money raised by the congregation for current expenses and for contributions $77.67.

PAROCHIAL REPORT.

Rev. H. H. PHELPS, address Bramwell, W. Va. Church of the Holy Trinity, Bramwell Mission, Bramwell, Mercer county; present minister took charge March 1st, 1905.

Church Officers—Other Vestrymen, F. L. Shaw, F. M. Archer, B. F. Keller, W. C. Brooke, A. R. Paddock, Jarius Collins, W. D. Tyler; Registrar, W. D. Tyler, address Bramwell, W. Va.; Treasurer W. D. Tyler; Supt. of Sunday School, W. D. Tyler; Sunday School Secretary and Treasurer, W. D. Tyler.

Official Acts—Baptisms, infants 4, adults 3, total 7; public services, Sundays 8, other days 20, Holy Communion, public 4.

Communicants—Present number total 23.

Congregations—Baptized persons connected with Parish 50, confirmed persons connected with Parish 25, families 13, individuals not thus included 4, whole number of individuals 50, number sittings in church 200, number free sittings all.

Rector's Salary—As pledged from this congregation $600.00, total $600.00.

Organizations—Sunday School, officers and teachers, male 2, female 5, total 7; pupils, male 16, female 23, total 39; Lenten offering $19.04, other offerings $19.74, total Sunday School offerings $38.78. *Other Organizations*—St. Margaret's Guild, Boys' Brigade.

Property—Church, frame, insurance $2,600, value $5,000; rectory, frame, insurance $3,000, value $5,000; organ, value $1,200; total value insurance $5,600, value $11,200. *Indebtedness*—On repair account $4.25, on heater account $101.73, money raised from outside sources $200; for what objects used, $100 on heater plant, and $100 on salary and general expense account.

FINANCIAL REPORT.

Receipts—For all purposes—Cash on hand, per last report $196.35, pledges and subscriptions $913.42, collections in church $200.55, Sunday School $38.78, Guilds, or other societies $696.91, contributions from without $200.00, income from other sources $454.55, total receipts for all purposes $2,700.56.

Disbursements—(1) *For current expenses*— Salary of rector $500.00; insurance $60.40; ordinary repairs $14.82; interest on debt $73.60; other current expenses, janitor, light and heat $85.75; other objects $696.91, total for current expenses $1,426.48. *Contributions*—(1) *For objects in the Parish*—Extraordinary repairs on rectory $372.50 and improvements on heater $510.00; maintaining Sunday Schools $39.15; payment on debts for building &c. $180.00; total contributions for objects inthe Parish $1,101.65 (2) *For objects in tne Diocese*—Salary of Bishops $30.00; permanent fund $19.59; Diocesan missions $30.00; Sheltering Arms Hospital $3.70; Bishop's special fund $10.00; other objects, Welch Hospital $3.70; total contributions for objects in the Diocese $96.99. (3) *For objects without the Diocese*—Colored people $3.12; total domestic missions $3.12; Lenten boxes $19.04; Bible and Prayer Book Society $2.06; total contributions for objects without the Diocese $24.22.

Statement—Current expenses raised by congregation as above $2,495.56. Contributions—For objects in the Parish $2,328.13; for objects in the Diocese $96.99; for objects without the Diocese $24.22; total of contributions $2,449.34; cash in hand $46.22.

Remarks—Having recently came into this field, my report of services, &c., is simply from the first of March.—H. H. PHELPS.

PAROCHIAL REPORT.

Rev. H. H. PHELPS, address, Bramwell, W. Va. Grace Mission, Eckman, McDowell county, present minister took charge March 1, 1905.

Church Officers—Grace Church, Warden Dr. P. H. Killey; other Vestrymen, Wm. D. Ord, W. G. Williamson.

Official Acts—Public services, Sundays 2, Holy Communion, public 1, total 1.

Communicants—Present number total, about 9.

Congregations—Families 4, whole number of individuals about 18.

FINANCIAL REPORT.

Receipts—For all purposes—Subscriptions $24.16, contributed $76.31, collections in church $16.84, total receipts for all purposes $117.31.

Disbursements—(1) *For Current Expenses*—Salary of rector $80.27; other current expenses $1.77; other objects $3.00; total for current expenses $85.04. *Contributions*— (2) *For objects in the Diocese*—Diocesan missions $10.96; Episcopal fund $3.24; total contributions for objects in the Diocese $14.20. (3) *For objects without the Diocese*—Domestic missions general $600; total domestic missions $6.00; foreign missions general $6.07; total foreign missions $6.07; total contributions for objects without the Diocese $12.07.

Statement—Current expenses raised by congregation as above $85.04.

Contributions—For objects in the Diocese $14.20; for objects without the Diocese $12.07; total of contributions $26.27; all money raised by the congregation for current expenses and for contributions $111.31.

Remarks—NOTE. I include in this report Eckman, Langraf and Vivian. The people—Church people—living at these points attend the services at Grace Church, Eckman. Several of the church people at these points have moved away.—H. H. PHELPS.

PAROCHIAL REPORT.

Rev. H. H. PHELPS, address, Bramwell, W. Va. Mora Mission, Crane Creek, Mercer county; present minister took charge March 1, 1905.

Official Acts—Baptisms, infants 2, total 2; public services, Sundays 1, other days 2, total 3.

Communicants—Present number total about 4.

Congregations—Families 3, individuals not thus included 3, whole number of individuals about 16.

FINANCIAL REPORT.

Receipts—For all purposes—Contributed $2.30; collections at services $6.94, total receipts for all purposes $9.24.

Disbursements—(1) *For current expenses*—Salary of rector $5.00; other current expenses $1.94, total for current expenses $6.94. *Contributions* (3) *For objects without the Diocese*—Domestic missions general $2.30; total domestic missions $2.30; total contributions for objects without the Diocese $2.30.

Statement—Current expenses raised by congregation as above $6.94. Contributions—For objects without the Diocese $2.30; total of contributions $2.30; all money raised by the congregation for current expenses and for contribtuions $9.24.

Remarks—There are two or three mining operations near Mora and we have a few church people connected with these works The people seem constantly to be on the move, so it is difficult to determine the exact number of the members of the church. At the services I have been able to hold the attendance has been quite encouraging. At my next visit to this place I hope to spend some little time in order to find out who the members of the church are and also distribute envelopes. Here we have no Sunday School nor organization of any kind.—H. H. PHELPS, minister in charge.

PAROCHIAL REPORT.

Rev. H. H. PHELPS, Bramwell, W. Va. Welch Mission, Welch, McDowell county; present minister took charge March 1, 1905.

Official Acts—Baptisms, infants 2, total 2; public services, Sundays 4, other days 2, total 6; Holy Communion, public 1, total 1.

Communicants—Present number total about 20.

Congregations—Families about 10, whole number of individuals 35.

FINANCIAL REPORT.

Receipts—For all purposes—Subscriptions $176.33; collections in church $7.46; total receipts for all purposes $183.79.

Disbursements—(1) *For current expenses*—Salary of rector $154.80; for R. N. Meade; total for current expenses $154.80. *Contributions*—(2) *For objects in the Diocese*—Diocesan missions $4.35; Sheltering Arms Hospital $1.30; Episcopal fund $11.30; total contributions for objects in the Diocese $16.95. (3) *For objects without the Diocese*—General clergy relief fund $3.33; total contributions for objects without the Diocese $3.33.

Statement—Current expenses raised by congregation as above $154.80. Contributions—For objects in the Diocese $16.95; for objects without the Diocese $3.33; total of contributions $20.28; all money raised by the congregation for current expenses and for contributions $175.08.

Remarks—At Welch. The Mission at this place has two lots upon which it hopes to build a church when funds can be raised. Altogether there is I think, in hand about $700 or $800 for building purposes. So far the attendance at the services has been quite encouraging.—H. H. PHELPS.

NOTE FURTHER—At each visit at this place I have a service on Sunday afternoon at the hospital. All seem to appreciate this service.

PAROCHIAL REPORT.

Rev. H. H. PHELPS, address Bramwell,W. Va. Elkhorn, McDowell county; present minister took charge March 1, 1905.

Official Acts—Public services, Sundays 1, total 1.

Communicants—Present number total about 8.

Congregations—Families 5, individuals not thus included 1, whole number of individuals about 18.

FINANCIAL REPORT.

Receipts—For all purposes—Contributed $3.32; collections in church $1.51; total receipts for all purposes $4.83.

Disbursements—(1) *For current expenses*—Other current expenses $1.51, other objects $2.14; total for current expenses $3.65. *Contributions*—(2) *For objects in the Diocese*—Diocesan missions $1.18; total contributions for objects in the Diocese $1.18.

Statement—Current expenses raised by congregation as above $3.65. Contributions—For objects in the Diocese $1.18; total of contributions $1.18; all money raised by the congregation for current expenses and for contributions $4.83.

Remarks—Having recently came to this section I have not yet been able

to become fully acquainted with the work and the people. Having such an extensive field I have been able so far to give this place but one service. I have, however, made *four* visits, including the one at which I had service.—H. H. PHELPS..

PAROCHIAL REPORT.

Rev. H. H. PHELPS, address, Bramwell, W. Va. Gary Mission, Gary, McDowell county; present minister took charge March 1, 1905.

Official Acts—Public services, Sundays 2.

Communicants—Present number total about 3.

Congregations—Families 1, individuals not thus included 2, whole number of individuals 4.

FINANCIAL REPORT.

Receipts—For all purposes—Contributed $19.13; collections in services $7.78, total receipts for all purposes $26.91.

Disbursements—(1) *For current expenses*—Salary of rector $18.80; other current expenses $1.00; total for current expenses $19.80. *Contributions*—(1) *For objects in the Parish*—Other objects 40c; total contributions for objects in the Parish 40c. (2) *For objects in the Diocese*—Diocesan missions $6,71; total contributions for objects in the Diocese $6.71.

Statement—Current expenses raised by congregation as above $19.80. Contributions—For objects in the Parish 40c; for objects in the Diocese $6.71; total of contributions $7.11; all money raised by the congregation for current expenses and for contributions $26.91.

Remarks—Services are held here each 3rd Sunday night. The attendance has so far been encouraging, but there is no chance to build any work here.—H. H. PHELPS.

PAROCHIAL REPORT.

Rev. JAMES F. PLUMMER, address, Clarksburg. Christ Church, Clarksburg, Harrison county; present minister took charge January 24, 1904.

Church Officers—Church Wardens, M. W. Smith, J. W. Williams; other Vestrymen, W. F. Nuzum, C. B. Alexander, Geo. L. Duncan, R. S. Lowndes, Jr., Dr. W. H. Rogers, (elect); Registrar, Geo. L. Duncan, address Lowndes bldg.; Treasurer C. B. Alexander, address Horner bldg; Supt. of Sunday Schools, the rector, C. B. Alexander; Sunday School Secretary and Treasurer Miss S. Scolley Page.

Official Acts—Baptisms, infants 24, adults 7, total 31; presented for confirmation since last report 26, marriages 9, burials 10, catechisings 12, public services, Sundays 140, other days 80, total 220; Holy Communion, public, 18, private 3, total 21.

Communicants—Number last reported 106, admitted by confirmation 26, added otherwise 5, total gain 31; died 3, removed without letter 7, not otherwise accounted for 2, total loss 12; net gain (or loss) 19; present number total 125.

Congregations—Baptized persons connected with Parish 250, confirmed persons connected with Parish 150, families 75, individuals not thus included 31, number of scattered communicants in your section not connected with any Parish included in line 2, number sittings in church 220, number free sittings all, number sittings in chapel 150.

Rector's Salary—As pledged from this congregation $1,200.

Organizations—Sunday Schools, officers and teachers, male 2, female 6, total 8; pupils, male 33, female 35, total 68; No. 2: Officers and teachers, male 1, female 2, total 3; pupils, male 5, female 6, total 11; Advent offering $12.78, Lenten offering $24.44, other offerings Sheltering Arms Hospital $5.03, Children's Home Charleston $5, Cuba and Brazil $6.20, Mexico and Porto Rico $5, total Sunday School offerings $58.46, Woman's Auxiliary members 15. *Other Organizations*—Ladies' Aid Society, Christ Church Guild, Christ Church Club (for men.) Location of schools mentioned above, No. 1, Christ Church, No. 2, Northview.

Property—Same as last year. *Indebtedness*—On chapel $5.50, due on Diocesan assessment fund for Bishop's fund $73.67, note in Merchants' National Bank $1,600, note to Trustees of Permanent Fund $800, total indebtedness $3,023.67.

FINANCIAL REPORT.

Receipts—For all purposes—Cash on hand, per last report $100.17, pledges and subscriptions $1,140.35, collections in church $1,560.80, Woman's Auxiliary, money $40.00, Woman's Auxiliary boxes, value $50.00, Guilds or other societies $125.00, total receipts for all purposes $3.016.32.

Disbursements—(1) *For current expenses*—Salary of rector $1,200.00; other salaries $88.50; ordinary repairs $275.85; interest on debt $105.87; other current expenses $93.66; total for current expenses $1,763.88. *Contributions*—(1) *For objects in the Parish*—Communion alms $28.90; extraordinary repairs and improvements $100.00; Parish missions $30.00; maintaining Sunday Schools $20.00; payment on debts for building, &c., $613.89; total contributions for objects in the Parish $792.79. (2)—*For objects in the Diocese*—Salary of Bishop's $52.33; permanent fund $13.90; Diocesan missions $125.00; convocation missions $15.10; widows and orphans, aged and disabled clergy fund $17.60; religious and theological education $9.53; Sheltering Arms Hospital $12.03; Theological Seminary $10.61; total contributions for objects in the Diocese $256.10. (3) *For objects without the Diocese*—Domestic and foreign missions general $55.70; colored people $5.45; Indians $4.60; deaf and dumb 2; total domestic missions $77.75; for Mexico $6.69; through American church missionary society $5.05; Brazil and Cuba $10.20; total foreign missions $21.94;

box $50.00; general clergy relief fund $4.25; Bible and Prayer book society $13.86; special for church building at Tsingpoo, China, under care of Rev. C. F. McRae $35.75; total contributions for objects without the Diocese $203.55.

Statement—Current expenses raised by congregation as above $1,763.88. Contributions—For objects in the Parish $792.79; for objects in the Diocese $256.10; for objects without the Diocese $203.55; total of contributions $1,252.44; all money raised by the congregation for current expenses and for contributions $3,016.32.

Remarks—No organization exists at Northview beyond the Sunday School reported here as No. 2. A number of recent defections have reduced our congregation there almost to the vanishing point. The rector continues, however, to hold service there every other Sunday afternoon, alternating with the Sunday School which is faithfully kept up by its superintendent and his wife and one or two others.

PAROCHIAL REPORT.

Rev. ROBT. DOUGLAS ROLLER, D. D., address Charleston, W. Va. Asistant Rev. C. H. Molony. St. John's Church Kanawha Parish and Mission, Charleston, Kanawha county; date of organization 1788; present minister took charge April 7, 1888.

Church Officers—Church Wardens, J. Lynn Richardson, J. Talman Waters; other Vestrymen, S. S. Green, D. C. Gallaher, W. S. Laidley, W. G. Hubbard, C. E. Ward, Alfred Phillips, O. F. Payne; Registrar, S. S. Green, address Charleston; Treasurer, J. Talman Waters, address Charleston; Supt. of Sunday Schools, the rector; Sunday School Secretary and Treasurer, Ben R. Roller.

Official Acts—Baptisms, Infants 35, adults 7, total 42; presented for confirmation since last report 36, marriages 7, burials 12, public service, Sundays 113, other days 60, total 173; Holy Communion, public 24.

Communicants—Number last reported 310, received by letter 5, admitted by confirmation 36, added otherwise 15, total gain 56; died 1, transferred 1, removed without letter 18, total loss 20; net gain 36; present number total 346.

Congregations—Baptized persons connected with Parish 637, confirmed persons connected with Parish 383, families 257, number free sittings 500, number sittings in chapel 200.

Rector's Salary—As pledged by this congregation $1,300.00, from Diocesan missions, assistant $300.00.

Organizations—Sunday Schoool, officers and teachers, male 5, female 10, total 15; pupils male 48, female 63, total 111; No. 2, officers and teachers female 1, total 1; pupils, male 12, female 11, total 23; Advent offerings $29.65, Lenten offering $125.29, other offerings $105.09, total Sunday School offerings $260.03; Industrial school officers and teachers 3, scholars 38, total 41; Parish schools, officers and teachers 1, scholars 19, total 20;

Woman's Auxiliary members 39. *Other organizations*—Junior Auxiliary 19, Junior Babies Branch 20, Ladies' Guild 10, Ladies Aid 45, Rectors Aid 23, Vested Choir 36; location of schools mentioned above 1, Charleston; 2, Paint Creek; Industrial and Parish schools at Paint Creek.

Property—Church, stone, insurance $18,000.00, value $48,627.00; rectory frame, insurance $2,400, value $10,000; Parish house brick, $4,000, value $10,000;other property lot, value $3,000; Sheltering Arms Hospital, frame, insurance, $6,000, value $12,000; total value insurance $30,400, value $83,627. *Indebtedness*—On Parish House $4,000, total indebtedness $4,000.

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Receipts—For all purposes—Cash on hand, per last report $260.80, pledges and subscriptions $2,918.40, collections in church $1,448.45, thank offerings $105.89, Sunday School $260.03, Woman's Auxiliary, money $100.54, Womans Auxiliary, boxes, value $35.00, Ladies and Guilds and other societies $1,543.33, total receipts for all purposes $6,672.44.

Disbursements—For current expenses—(1) Salary of rector $1,275.00; other salaries $826.48; insurance $25.00; ordinary repairs $50.69; other current expenses $450.65; total for current expenses $2,627.82. *Contributions*—(1) *For objects in the Parish*—Extraordinary repairs and improvements $93.30; Parish missions $415.79; maintaining Sunday Schools $30.00; payment on debts for building, &c., Parish house $1,868.65; other objects $111.84; total contributions for objects in the Parish $2,519.58. (2) *For objects in the Diocese*—Salary of Bishops $275.00; permanent fund $5.00; Diocesan missions $227.00; convocation missions $5.00; widows and orphans, aged and disabled clergy fund $60.65; religious and theological education $85.89; Bishop's special fund $20.00; total contributions for objects in the Parish $678.54. *For objects without the Diocese*—Domestic missions general $108.17; colored people $1.10; Indians $1.15; deaf and dumb $8.80; Jews $5.35; total domestic missions $124.57; foreign mission general $107.58; Brazil $18.35; total foreign missions $125.93; special boxes &c. $35.00; total contributions for objects without the Diocese $285.50.

Statement—Current expenses raised by congregation as above $2,627.82; Contributions—For objects in the Parish $2,519.58; for objects in the Diocese $678.54; for objects without the Diocese $285.50; total contributions $3,483.62; all money raised by the congregation for current expenses and for contributions $6,111.44; cash in hand $561.00.

Remarks—Of the 42 baptisms reported 22 were from the Parish Mission field. Of the 36 confirmations 9 were from the same field. The new assistant is expected by July 1st, when we hope to keep a separate register for all work done in the Parish missions. Mr. Molony did a good work and he goes to his new field with our best wishes. Miss Barber beautifully fills a niche as important as any in the Diocese. Her work speaks for itself.

PAROCHIAL REPORT.

Rev. CHAS. E. SHAW, address Berkeley Springs, W. Va. St. Mark's Church, St. Mark's Mission, Berkeley Springs, Morgan county; date of organization 1879; present minister took charge December 1st, 1904.

Church Officers—Church Warden, Dr. J. H. Hunter; Registrar, Dr. G. E. Gilpin, address, Berkeley Springs; Treasurer Mr. F. B. Reed, address Berkeley Springs; Supt. of Sunday School, the Rector; Sunday School Secretary and Treasurer, Mrs. Shelly.

Official Acts—Baptisms, infants1, total 1; presented for confirmation since last report 1, burials 1, catechisings 6, public services, Sundays 40, other days 16, total 56; Holy Communion, public 12, total 12..

Communicants—Number last reported 23, admitted by confirmation 1, total gain 1; transfered 1, total loss 1; present number total 23.

Congregations—Baptized persons connected with Parish 44, confirmed persons connected with the Parish 23, families 14, individuals not thus included 2, whole nmber of individuals 44, number sittings in church 250, number free sittings 250.

Rector's Salary—As pledged from this congregation $300, from Diocesan missions $50, from general board $200, as pledged from other congregations $250, total $800.

Organizations—Sunday School, officers and teachers, male 1, female 4, total 5; pupils, male 11, female 10, total 21; Lenten offerings $6.37; other offerings $3.63, total Sunday School offerings $10.00.

Property—Church, wood, insurance $1,500, value $5,000; rectory, wood, insurance $1,500, value $3,000; total value $8,000.

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Receipts—For all Purposes—Cash on hand, per last report $14.53, pledges and subscriptions $151.30, collections in church $73.45, Sunday School $10.37, Guilds, or other societies $126.63, income from other sources $66.10, total receipts for all purposes $442.38.

Disbursements—(1) *For current expenses*—Salary of rector $224.75, other salaries $30.00, ordinary repairs 75c, other current expenses $4.64, cemetery lot $20.00, recording deed 50c., fuel $23.37, total for current expenses $304.01. *Contributions*—(1) *For objects in the Parish*—Extraordinary repairs and improvements $52.76; total contributions for objects in the Parish $52.76. (2) *For objects in the Diocese*—Salary of Bishops $20.00; Diocesan missions $25.00; widows and orphans, aged and disabled clergy fund $5.00; Sheltering Arms Hospital $2.50; total contributions for objects in the Diocese $52.50. (3) *For objects without the Diocese*—Domestic missions general $14.11; total domestic missions $14.11; foreign missions general $14.00; total foreign missions $14.00; total contributions for objects without the Diocese $28.11.

Statement—Current expenses raised by congregation as above $304.01.

Contributions—For objects in the Parish $52.76; for objects in the Diocese $52.50; for objects without the Diocese $28.11; total of contributions $133.37; all money raised by the congregation for current expenses and for contributions $437.38; cash in hand $5.00.

Remarks—Woman's Auxiliary report incomplete, will be included in this year's report.

PAROCHIAL REPORT.

Rev. CHARLES E. SHAW, address Berkeley Springs. Mount Zion Church, Norbourn Parish or Mission, Hedgesville, Berkeley county; date of organization 1817; present minister took charge December 1st, 1904.

Church Officers—Church Wardens, Geo. W. Kreglow, W. B. Lingamfelter; other Vestrymen, J. Harley Miller, Jacob H. Miller, Frank Robbins, Lee Lingamfelter, Wm. H. Kilmer, R. B. Kilmer, P. C. Myers; Registrar, R. B. Kilmer, address Hedgesville, W. Va.; Treasurer P. C. Myers, address Hedgesville, W. Va.; Supt. of Sunday School, Geo. T. Kreglow, Hedgesville, W. Va.; S. S. Supt. & Treas., Frank Robins, Hedgesville, W. Va.

Official Acts—Baptisms, infants 5, total 5; presented for confirmation since last report 1, marriages 1, burials 1, catechisings 5, public services, Sundays 50, other days 4, total 54; Holy Communion public 12, total 12.

Communicants—Number last reported 65, admitted by confirmation 1, total gain 1; died 1, total loss 1; present number total 65.

Congregations—Baptized persons connected with Parish 72, confirmed persons connected with Parish 66, families 32, individuals not thus included 20, whole number of individuals 95, number sittings in church 200, number free sittings 200.

Rector's Salary—As pledged from this congregation $250, from Diocesan missions $50, from general board $200, as pledged from other congregations $300, total $800.

Organizations—Sunday School, officers and teachers, male 5, female 7, total 12; pupils, male 26, female 29, total 55; Advent offering $23.57, Lenten offering $16.09, total Sunday School offerings $39.66. Woman's Auxiliary, members 15.

Property—Church, brick, insurance $1,500, value $2,500; rectory, insurance $250, value $400; total value $2,900.

FINANCIAL REPORT.

Receipts—For all purposes—Cash on hand per last report $81.83, pledges and subscriptions $300.00, collections in church $66.33, thank offerings $39.63, Womans Auxiliary, money $92.28, Woman's Auxiliary, boxes, value $23.50, income from other sources $36.00, total receipts for all purposes $639.57.

Disbursements—(1) *For current expenses*—Salary of rector $250.00;

other salaries $21.73; insurance $18.80; ordinary repairs $19.00; other current expenses $27.79; total for current expenses $337.32. *Contributions*—(1) *For objects in the Parish*—Communion alms $22.65; maintaining Sunday Schools $6.74; total contributions for objects in the Parish $29.39. (2) *For objects in the Diocese*—Salary of Bishops $50.00; Diocesan missions $25.00; convocation missions $11.50; Sheltering Arms Hospital $23.50; Bishop's special fund $10.00; total contributions for objects in the Diocese $120.00. (3) *For objects without the Diocese*—Domestic missions general $13.84; total domestic missions $13.84; foreign missions general $10.00; total foreign missions $10.00; total contributions for objects without the Diocese $23.84.

Statement—Current expenses raised by congregation as above $337.32. Contributions—For objects in the Parish $29.39; for objects in the Diocese $120.00; for objects without the Diocese $23.84; total of contributions $173.23; all money raised by the congregation for current expenses and for contributions $510.55.

PAROCHIAL REPORT.

Rev. GEO. C. SHAW, address Mannington, W. Va. St. Andrew's Church Mannington Mission, Mannington, Marion county; date of organization July, 1902; present minister took charge May 1st, 1904.

Church Officers—Church Warden, H. W. G. Bostock; other Committeemen, F. H. Armstrong, Phil Deitz, A. R. Dunkle, J. A. Bostock, J. O. Huey; Registrar, Phil Deitz, address Mannington, W. Va.; Treasurer J. O. Huey, address Mannington, W. Va; Supt. of Sunday School Mrs. Annie Shaw, Mannington, W. Va.; Sunday School Secretary and Treasurer, Mrs. Ella Shaw, Mannington, W. Va.

Official Acts—Presented for confirmation since last report 1, marriages 2, burials 2, catechisings 12, public services, Sundays 73, other days 45, total 118; Holy Communion, public 12, total 12.

Communicants—Number last reported 29, admitted by confirmation 1, total gain 1; removed without letter 2, total loss 2, total loss 1; present number total 23.

Congregations—Baptized persons connected with Parish 40, confirmed persons connected with the Parish 25, families 14, individuals not thus included 20, whole number of individuals 60, number of sittings in church 150, number free sittings 150, number sittings in Sunday School room 100.

Rectors Salary—As pledged from this congregation $62.00; from Diocesan missions $360.00, from general board $100.00, as pledged from other congregations $250.00, total $772.00.

Organizations—Sunday School, officers and teachers, male 2, female 2, total 4; pupils, male 6, female 16, total 22; other offerings $15.00, total Sunday School offerings $15.00. *Other Organizations*—St. Andrews Guild, 10 members.

Property—Church, wood, insurance $2,500.00, value $6,000.00; rectory, wood, insurance $1,875.00, value $3,000.00; total value $9,000.00. *Indebtedness*—On church $700.00, on rectory $2,375.00, due on Diocesan assessment for Bishops fund $5.00, total indebtedness $3,080.00, money raised from outside sources $100.00, for what objects used, church debt and filling rectory lot.

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Receipts—For all purposes—Pledges and subscriptions $192.00, collections in church $80.00; Guilds, or other societies $407.00, contributions from without $200.00, income from other sources $100.00, total receipts for all purposes $979.00.

Disbursements—(1) *For current expenses*—Salary of Rector $62.00, insurance $27.35; ordinary repairs $50.00; interest on debt $186.00; other current expenses $60.00; total for current expenses $385.35. *Contributions*—(1) *For objects in the Parish*—Payment on debt for building, &c, $576.00; total contributions for objects in the Parish $576.00. (2) *For objects in the Diocese*—Salary of Bishops $5.00; Diocesan missions $10.00; total contributions for objects in the Diocese $15.00. (3) *For objects without the Diocese*—Domestic missions general $1.50; total domestic missions $1.50; foreign missions general $1.50; total foreign missions $1.50; total contributions for objects without the Diocese $3.00.

Statement—Current expenses raised by congregation as above $335.35. Contributions—For objects in the Parish $326.00; for objects in the Diocese $15.00; for objects without the Diocese $3.00; total of contributions $344.00; all money raised by the congregation for current expenses and for contributions $679.35.

PAROCHIAL REPORT.

Rev. GEO. C. SHAW, address Mannington, W. Va. St. Matthias Church, Grafton Mission, Grafton, Taylor county; present minister took charge July 24th, 1904.

Church Officers—Church Warden, A. H. Thayer, M. D.; other committeemen, A. E. N. Means, C. W. Steel, L. B. Brydon; Registrar, A. E. N. Means, address Grafton, W. Va.; Treasurer C. W. Steel, address Grafton, W. Va.; Supt. of Sunday Schools, Rev. Geo. C. Shaw, Mannington, W. Va.; Sunday School Secretary and Treasurer, Rosaline Kennedy, Grafton, W. Va.

Official Acts—Burials 1, catechisings 10, public services, Sundays 40, other days 6, total 46; Holy Communion, public 9, total 9.

Communicants—Number last reported 32, received by letter 1, total gain 1; died 1, removed without letter 1, total loss 2; net loss 1; present number total 31.

Congregations—Baptized persons connected with Parish 41, confirmed persons connected with Parish 31, families 21, whole number of individuals 62, number sittings in church 125, number free sittings 125.

Rector's Salary—As pledged from this congregation $250.00, total $250.00.

Organizations—Sunday Schools, officers and teachers, male 1, female 2, total 3; pupils, male 3, female 9, total 12; other offerings $5.00, total Sunday School offerings $5.00. *Other Organizations*—St. Matthias Guild, 12 members, Altar Guild 8 members.

Property—Church, wood, insurance $1,000.00, value $6,000.00; rectory, insurance $1,000.00, value $4,500.00, total value $10,500.00.

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Receipts—For all purposes—Pledges and subscriptions $279.47, collections in church $127.93, Sunday School $5.00, Guilds, or other societies $58.54, contributions from without $34.00, income from other sources $150.00, total receipts for all purposes $654.94.

Disbursements—(1) *For current expenses*—Salary of Rector $185.50; other salaries $54.52; ordinary repairs $52.71; payment on debts contracted for current expenses $50.00; other current expenses $37.00; rector's hotel expenses $37.45; total for current expenses $417.18. *Contributions*—(1) *For objects in the Parish*—Communion alms $12.80; extraordinary repairs and improvements $60.00; maintaining Sunday Schools $5.00, total contributions for objects in the Parish $77.80. (2) *For objects in the Diocese*—Salary of Bishops $15.00; Diocesan missions $15.00; convocation missions $5.50; Bishop's special fund $11.00; total contributions for objects in the Diocese $46.50. (3) *For objects without the Diocese*—Domestic missions general $3.00; total domestic missions $3.00; foreign missions general $3.23; total foreign missions $3.23; total contributions for objects without the Diocese $6.23.

Statement—Currant expenses raised by congregations as above $420.94. Contributions.—For objects in the Parish $77.80; for objects in the Diocese 46.50; for objects without the Diocese $6.23; total of contributions $130.53; all money raised by the congregation for current expenses and for contributions $551.47; cash in hand $52.76.

Remarks—The salary paid is only for nine months.

PAROCHIAL REPORT.

Rev. PARIS BECKER STAUFFER, address, Harpers Ferry, W. Va. St. John's Church, Harpers Ferry, Jefferson county; date of organization 1857; present minister took charge October 1, 1903.

Church Officers—Treasurer Mr. G. H. Child; Supt. of Sunday School Mr. Barnabas Bryan; Sunday School Secretary and Treasurer, Miss Emily Child; Lay Reader Mr. Barnabas Bryan.

Official Acts—Baptisms, infants 1, total 1; catechisings monthly, public services, Sundays 51, holy days and other days 58, total 109; Holy Communion, public 15, total 15.

Communicants—Number last reported 31, received by letter 1, total gain 1; present number total 32.

Congregations—Baptized persons connected with Parish 46, confirmed persons connected with Parish 35, families 17, individuals not thus included 10, number sittings in church 150, number free sittings all.

Rector's Salary—As pledged from this congregation $125.00; from Diocesan missions for both Harpers Ferry and Ripon $400.00, as pledged from other congregations $150.00, from convocation missions for both places $75.00, total $750.00.

Organizations—Sunday School, officers and teachers, male 1, female 7, total 8; pupils, male 31, female 57, total 88; Advent offering $20.00, Lenten offering $23.00, other offerings $23.28. *Other Organizations*—Woman's Guild.

Property—Church, frame, insurance $1,200, value $2,000; rectory, frame, insurance, $800, value $1,000; total value insurance $2,000; value $3,000.

FINANCIAL REPORT.

Receipts—For all purposes—Cash on hand, per last report $65.00, pledges and subscriptions $169.25, collections in church $152.93, Sunday School $43.00, contributions from without $20.00, income from other sources $58.75, total receipts for all purposes $443.93.

Disbursements—(1) *For current expenses*—Salary of rector $125.00; other salaries $15.00; interest on debt $3.00; other current expenses $32.79; total for current expenses $175.79. *Contributions—For objects in the Parish*—Communion alms included in offerings &c.; extraordinary repairs and improvements $26.57; payment on debt for building &c, $50.00; total contributions for objects in Parish $76.57. (2) *For objects in the Diocese*—Salary of Bishops $20.00; permanent fund $1.75; Diocesan missions $40.00; convocation missions $6.75; widows and orphans, aged and disabled clergy fund $5.00; Sheltering Arms Hospital $5.00; theological seminary $3.00; Bishop's Special Fund $15.25; total contributions for objects in the Diocese $96.75. (3) *For objects without the Diocese*—Domestic missions general $20.00; foreign missions general $21.00; for Japan $3.00; total foreign missions $44.00; general clergy relief fund $5.00; Bible and prayer book society $1.50; total contributions for objects without the Diocese $50.50.

Statement—Current expenses raised by congregation as above $170.79. Contributions.—For objects in the Parish $61.57; for objects in the Diocese $96.75; for objects without the Diocese $50.50; total of contributions $208.82; all money raised by the congregation for current expenses and for contributions $379.61; cash in hand $109.32.

Remarks—A Gift—Through the kindness of the manager of the Electric Light Co., Mr. Geo. Bready, the church is wired and is furnished with light. By the help of the Lay Reader, Mr. Bryan, the church is open every Sunday morning and evening. Summer boarders help considerable

in making a fair financial showing. We have tried to eliminate such help so far as it is possible in the final statement although even here it is not absolute.

PAROCHIAL REPORT.

Rev. PARIS BECKER STAUFFER, address, Harpers Ferry. Mount Zion's church, Hedgesville, Berkeley county; date of organization 1817 A. D.; present minister took charge October 1, 1903, ceased October 31, 1904.

Official Acts—Baptisms, infants 4, total 4; marriages 1, burials 1, catechisings monthly, public services, Sundays 24, other days 2, total 25; Holy Communion, public 6, private 1, total 7.

Remarks—The offering Aug. 24, 1904, was for completion of the apportionment to general missions, which was raised and paid in full before Sept. 1. Mrs. Kreglow, widow, mother of Mr. G. T. Kreglow, died Wednesday, Oct. 12, aged 80 and more. If I mistake not, a life long member of the church. The women reorganized their branch of the Auxiliary and are doing good and aggressive work. Made gifts and had about $100.00 in the treasury. A Sunday School library was purchased at a cost of $35.00. A few necessary improvements were made to the church and grounds when my pastorate ceased Oct. 31. Others that had been arranged for had not been completed. My successor will no doubt record them. All debts, of whatever kind, were paid in full.

PAROCHIAL REPORT.

Rev. PARIS BECKER STAUFFER, address, Harpers Ferry. St. John's Parish, Ripon, Jefferson county, present minister took charge Nov. 1, 1904.

Church Officers—Church Wardens Dr. Howard Osborn, Mr. T. C. Larue; other Vestrymen, registrar, Mr. Lafayette Sommers, Mr. John Kanode, Mr. John B. Page, Mr. Lee Hulver; Registrar Mr. Lafayette Sommers, address Ripon; Treasurer, Dr. Howard Osburn, address Ripon; Supt. of Sunday Schools Dr. Howard Osburn; Sunday School Secretary and Treasurer Mrs. Kanode.

Official Acts.—Public services, Sundays 22, other days 3, total 25; Holy Communion 7.

Communicants—Number last reported 29, total gain 11; present number total 33.

Congregations—Baptized persons connected with Parish 50, confirmed persons connected with Parish 22, families 21, individuals not thus included 11, number sittings in church all.

Rector's Salary—As pledged from this congregation $150.00, from diocesan missions $400.00, as pledged from other congregations $125.00, from convocation missions $75.00, total $750.00.

Organizations—Sunday School, officers and teachers, male 3, female 4, total 7; pupils, male 10, female 18, total 28; Woman's Auxiliary members 8. *Other Organizations*—Guild members 10.

Property—Church, brick, insurance $2,000.00, value $3,000.00; total value $3,000.00.

FINANCIAL REPORT.

Receipts—For all purposes—Pledges and subscriptions $150.00, collections in church $65.75.

Disbursements—(1) Salary of rector $118.75; other salaries $11.00; insurance $12.50; other current expenses $4.45; total for current expenses $146.70. *Contributions*—(2) *For objects in the Diocese*—Salary of Bishops $20.00; Diocesan missions $10.00; convocation missions $3.00; widows and orphans, aged and disabled clergy fund $5.00; Bishop's special fund $1.00; total contributions for objects in the Diocese $39.00. (3) *For objects without the Diocese*—Domestic missions general $8.00; total domestic missions $8.00; foreign missions general $9.65; total foreign missions $9.65; total contributions for objects without the Diocese $17.65.

Statement—Current expenses raised by congregation as above $146.70. Contributions—For objects in the Diocese $39.00; for objects without the Diocese $17.65; total of contributions $56.65; all money raised by the congregation for current expenses and for contributions $203.35.

Remarks—Personal—I have found difficulty in making out report in connection with baptized and communion members, so many having gone away without letter of transfer, others living in the country, claim membership at Berryville and Wickliff, although they attend Ripon, &c., sometimes. These I have reported as belonging to Diocese.

PAROCHIAL REPORT.

Rev. JOHN WARNOCK, address Charleston, W. Va. St. Luke's Church, Charleston, Kanawha county; date of organization 1897; present minister took charge May 1st, 1903.

Church Officers—Church Warden, J. D. Lucadoe, S. W.; other Vestrymen Elijah Steen, Registrar; Geo. Grishaber, Treas., Geo. Krauss, Cobert Lucadoe, James Wilton; Registrar, Elijah Steen, address 311 Pennsylvania Ave.; Treasurer Geo. Grishaber, address Charleston P. O.; Sunday School Secretary and Treasurer Miss Williams, Miss Payne.

Official Acts—Baptisms, infants 2, total 2; marriages 3, burials 4, catechisings monthly, public services, Sundays, 40, other days 35, total 75; Holy Communion, public 12, total 12.

Communicants—Number last reported 27, added otherwise 1, total gain 1, died 1, total loss 1; net loss 1; present number total 27.

Congregations—Baptized persons connected with Parish 66, confirmed persons connected with Parish 27, families 16, number sittings in church 100.

Recetor's Salary—As pledged from this congregation $240, from Diocesan missions $50, total $290.

Organizations—Sunday School, officers and teachers, male 1, female 3,

total 4; pupils, male 19, female 21, total 48; Advent offering $4.89, Lenten offering 4.00, total Sunday School offering $28.58; Ladies Guild.

Property—Church, frame, value $1,200; rectory, frame, $1,400. *Indebtedness*— Other debts $7.00, total indebtedness $7.00.

FINANCIAL REPORT.

Receipts—For all purposes—Pledges and subscriptions $137.60, collections in church $31.58, Sunday School $28.58, Woman's Auxiliary, boxes, value, $41.21, Guilds, $46.15, contributions from without $10.40, income from other sources $29.93, total receipts for all purposes $325.45.

Disbursements—(1) *For current expenses*—Salary of rector $240.00; ordinary repairs $10.40; other curent expenses $33.84; total for current expenses $284.24. *Contributions*—(1) *For objects in the Parish*—Extraordinary repairs and improvements, by Ladies Guild $24.32; total contributions for objects in the Parish $24.32. (2) *For objects in the Diocese*—Salary of Bishops $8.00; Diocesan missions $4.89; total contributions for objects in the Diocese $12.89. (3) *For objects without the Diocese*—Domestic missions general $4.00; total contributions for objects without the Diocese $4.00.

Statement—Current expenses raised by congregation as above $284.24. Contributions— For objects in the Parish $24.32; for objects in the Diocese $12.89; for objects without the Diocese $4.00; total of contributions $41.21; all money raised by the congregation for current expenses and for contributions $325.45.

PAROCHIAL REPORT.

Rev. JOHN WARNOCK, Charleston, W. Va. St. Matthew's Church, So. Charleston, Kanawha county; date of organization April 1897; present minister took charge May 1, 1903.

Church Officers—Church Wardens, J. D. Lucadoe, Comyn Lewis; other Vestrymen Geo. Grishaber; Treasurer, Comyn Lewis, address Charleston, W. Va., R. F. D., No. 1; Supt.of Sunday Schools, Comyn Lewis.

Official Acts—Baptisms, infants 10, total 10; marriages 2, burials 4, public services, Sundays 40, other days 36, total 76; Holy Communion, public 16, private 1, total 17.

Communicants—Number last reported 45, restored to communion 2, total gain 2, died 1, transferred 1, total loss 2; present number total 45.

Congregations—Baptized persons connected with Parish 136, confirmed persons connected with Parish 45, families 25, number sittings in church 200.

Rector's Salary—As pledged from this congregation $240.00, from Diocesan missions $50.00.

Property—Church, stone, insurance $500.00, value $5,000.00; Chapel, St. Andrew's, log, insurance $300.00, value $650.00; total value $5,650.00;

money raised from outside sources $85.00; for what objects used, rector's salary.

FINANCIAL REPORT.

Receipts— For all purposes—Cash on hand per last report $50.29, pledges and subscriptions, $144.52, collections in church $29.11, Sunday School (see remarks) bal 12c, sale of cemetery lot $3.00, contributions from without $25.00, income from other sources $60.00, total receipts for all purposes $261.75.

Disbursements—(1) *For current expenses*—Salary of rector $240.00; other salaries, janitor, (see remarks); insurance S. S. Pd. $2.00 more $5.50; ordinary repairs (see remarks); other current expenses, (see remarks) 54c; total for current expenses $246.04. *Contributions*—(2) *For objects in the Diocese*—Diocesan missions, S. S. Advent (see remarks) $5.00; sent to L. E. Sands $5.00. (3) *For objects without the Diocese*—Foreign missions general, sent to G. C. Thomas, S. S. Lenten $6.30.

Statement—Current expenses raised by congregation as above $173.63. Contributions.—For objects in the Parish $20.20; for objects in the Diocese $5.00; for objects without the Diocese 6.30; total of contributions $31.50; all money raised by the congregation for current expenses and for contributions $205.13; cash in hand $15.71. The $50.29 of last year's balance should be added to this balance of $15.71, but it has not yet been repaid by St. Luke's.

Remarks—Any missionary stipend has not been included in this report. Sunday School Treasurer reports receipts $28.50; church repairs paid $2.30; church expenses paid $3.10; church janitor paid $2.75; Sunday School expenses $8.93; Advent offering remitted $5.00; Lenten offering remitted $6.30, $28.38; balance 12c.

PAROCHIAL REPORT.

Rev. JOHN WARNOCK, address 220 Randolph St., Charleston, W. Va. St. Mark's Church, St. Albans, Kanawha county; present minister took charge May 1st, 1903.

Church Officers—Church Wardens, A. W. Howard, E. W. Chandler; other Vestrymen, Luke Frasher, W. H. Barnett, Thos H. Mohler; Registrar, Thos. H. Mohler, address St. Albans, W. Va.; Treasurer Thos. H. Mohler, address St. Albans, W. Va.; Supt. of Sunday Schools E. W. Chandler, St. Albans, W. Va.; Sunday School Secretary and Treasurer Thos. H. Mohler.

Official Acts—Baptisms, infants 4, total 4; burials 3, catechisings monthly, public services, Sundays 35 other days 11 total 46; Holy Communion, public, 11 total 11.

Communicants—Number last reported 35, died 3, transferred 2, total loss, 5; net loss 5; present number total 30.

Congregations—Confirmed persons connected with Parish 35, families 20, number of scattered communicants in your section not connected with any Parish 6 at Scarey, number sittings in church 220.

Rector's Salary—As pledged from this congregation $200.00, from general board (from Bp.) $120.00, total $320.00.

Organizations—Sunday Schools, officers and teachers, male 3, female 4, total 7; pupils, male 21, female 20, total 41; Advent offerings $4.38, Lenten $6.60, other offerings $41.70; total Sunday School offerings $52.68.

Property—Church, brick, value $2,000; rectory, frame, insurance, $1,000.00, value $2,500; sexton's house, frame, value, $200, total value $4,700. *Indebtedness*—On rectory $79.39, total indebtedness $79.39.

FINANCIAL REPORT.

Receipts— For all purposes—Cash on hand per last report $17.71, pledges and subscriptions $201.00, collections in church $72.20, money borrowed $211.34, Sunday School $52.68, total receipts for all purposes $554.93.

Disbursements—(1) *For current expenses*—Salary of Rector $200.00; other salaries, "collector" $9.56; payment on debts contracted for current expenses $131.95, other current expenses $19.55; due on loan $79.39; cash on hand $17.33; total for current expenses $457.78. *Contributions*—(1) *For objects in the Parish*—Maintaining Sunday Schools $46.72; total contributions for objects in the Parish $46.72. (2) *For objects in the Diocese*—Salary of Bishops $10.00; permanent fund $1.15; Diocesan missions $10.-12, convocation missions $9.21; widows and orphans, aged and disabled clergy fund 40c;religious and theological education 20c; Sheltering Arms Hospital $3.50; Theological Seminary 40c; total contributions for objects in the Diocese $34.98. (3) *For objects without the Diocese*—Domestic missions general $5.00; total domestic missions $5.00; foreign missions general $5.00, total foreign missions $5.00; specials, boxes, &c., Easter offering $4.20; general clergy relief fund $1.25; total contributions for objects without the Diocese $15.45.

Statement—Current expenses raised by congregation as above $230.00. Contributions—For objects in the Parish $200.00; for objects in the Diocese $20.00; for objects without the Diocese $10.00; total of contributions $230.00.

Remarks—You will note that I have divided the contributions to missions general equally between domestic missions general and foreign missions general. This I was advised to do by Bishop Gravatt. Therefore, do not report the amounts to each cause. I am not sure that I understand the financial statement or summary, so have just put down the amounts this Parish has agreed to give as a whole. Hope it will answer your pur-

pose. Have spent considerable time in getting up this report and trust it is accordance with your ruling. Yours truly, THOS. H. MOHLER, Treas.

PAROCHIAL REPORT.

Rev. A. T. WILLIS, address Middleway. Grace church, Nelson Parish, Middleway, Jefferson county; date of organization 1888; present minister took charge Nov. 1, 1890.

Church Officers—Church Wardens, J. J. Granthan, Wm. H. Gilbert; other Vestrymen, James Grantham, Wm. O. Mc Caughtry; Registrar, James Grantham, address Middleway; Treasurer, James Grantham, address Middleway; Supt. Sunday School June Locke, Middleway; Sunday School Secretary and Treasurer Mitchell Willis; Lay Reader A. P. Gray, Jr.

Official Acts—Baptisms, infants 2, total 2; presented for confirmation since last report 1, burials 2, public services, Sundays 52, other days 10, total 62; Holy Communion, public, 12, total 12.

Communicants—Number last reported 44, admitted by confirmation 1, total gain 1; net gain 1, present number total 45.

Congregations—Baptized persons connected with Parish 50, confirmed persons connected with Parish 50, families 20, individuals not thus included 200, whole number of individuals 250, number sittings in church 200, number free sittings 200.

Rector's Salary—As pledged from this congregation $150, from Diocesan missions $50, as pledged from other congregations $400, from convocation missions $100, from American Church Missionary Society $100, total 800.

Organizations—Sunday School, officers and teachers, male 1, female 4, total 5; pupils, male 10, female 15, total 30; Advent offerings $3.64, Lenten offerings $3.46, other offerings $7.71, total Sunday School offerings $14.81. *Other Organizations*—Rector's Aid, 10 members, Parish Guild, embracing members of all three churches in the Parish. Location of schools mentioned above Middleway W. Va.

Property—Church, brick, insurance $1,000, value $2,500; rectory, frame and brick insurance $1,500, value $2.000; 7 acres of land, value $350; total value $4,850.

FINANCIAL REPORT.

Receipts—For all purposes—Cash on hand per last report $2.79, pledges and subscriptions $150, collections in church $142.41, Sunday School $14.81, Guilds, or other societies $20.00, income from other sources $15.00, total receipts for all purposes $345.01.

Disbursements—(1) *For current expenses*—Salary of Rector $150.00, other salaries $30.00, insurance $8.00, other current expenses $18.79, total for current expenses $206.79. *Contributions*—(1) *For objects in the Par-*

ish—Maintaining Sunday Schools $13.25; total contributions for objects in the Parish $13.25; communion alms used for missions. (2) *For objects in the Diocese*—Salary of Bishops 30.00; Diocesan misions $12.70; convocation missions $10.25; widows and orphans, aged and disabled clergy fund $7.35; religious and theological education $5.00; Sheltering Arms Hospital $7.59; total contributions for objects in the Diocese $72.89. (3) *For objects without the Diocese*—Domestic missions general $11.58; foreign missions general $3.00; Brazil $4.00; total foreign missions $18.58; work of D. Dandridge $4.25; total contributions for objects without the Diocese $22.83.

Statement—Current expenses raised by congregation as above $206.79. Contributions—For objects in the Parish $13.25; for objects in the Diocese $72.89; for objects without the Diocese $22.83; total of contributions $108.97; all money raised by the congregation for current expenses and for contributions $315.76; cash in hand $29.25.

PAROCHIAL REPORT.

Rev. A. J. WILLIS, address Middleway. St. Bartholomew's church, Nelson Parish or Mission, Lee Town, Jefferson county; date of organization 1888; present minister took charge Nov. 1st, 1890.

Church Officers—Church Wardens, I. H. Strider, Chas. L. Jones; other Vestrymen, C. C. Lucas, James Russell; Registrar, I. H. Strider, address, Lee Town; Treasurer I. H. Strider, Lee Town; Supt. of Sunday Schools, Robt. Strider, Lee Town; Sunday School Secretary and Treasurer, Robt. Strider.

Official Acts—Presented for confirmation since last report 3, public services, Sundays 36, other days 7, total 43; Holy Communion, public 6, private 1, total 7.

Communicants—Number last reported 35, admitted by confirmation 3, total gain 3; net gain 3; present number total 38.

Congregations—Confirmed persons connected with Parish 38, families 12, individuals not thus included 100, whole number of individuals 150, number sittings in church 200, number free sittings 200.

Rector's Salary—As pledged from this congregation $175, from Diocesan missions $50, as pledged from other congregations $375, from convocation missions $100, from American Church Missionary Society $100, total $800.

Organizations—Sunday School, officers and teachers, male 1, female 3, total 4; pupils, male 5, female 10, total 15; Advent offering $19.87, Lenten offering $4.53, total Sunday School offerings $24.30. *Other Organizations*—Ladies' Aid, Parish Guild, all the churches in Parish.

Property—Church, frame, insurance $1,000, value $1,800; total value $2,800.

FINANCIAL REPORT.

Receipts—For all purposes—Cash on hand per last report $10.30; pledges

and subscriptions $175.10, collections in church $164.58, Sunday School $24.30, Guilds or other societies $5.00, total receipts for all purposes $379.18.

Disbursements—(1) *For current expenses*—Salary of rector $175.00; other salaries $18.00; insurance $10.00; other current expenses $2.15; total for current expenses $205.15. *Contributions*—(1) *For objects in the Parish*—Maintaining Sunday Schools $5.00; total contributions for objects in the Parish $5.00. Communion Alms used for missions. (2) *For objects in the Diocese*—Salary of Bishops $30.00; Diocesan missions $45.15; convocation missions $18.14; widows and orphans, aged and disabled clergy fund $3.94; Sheltering Arms Hospital $8.20; Mountain mission $2.50; total contributions for objects in the Diocese $107.93. (3) *For objects without the Diocese*—Domestic missions general $25.11; total domestic missions $25.11; foreign missions general $10.00; Brazil $9; Brazil $5; total foreign missions $24.00; to work of Durand Dandridge in Alexandria $6.83; total contributions for objects without the Diocese $55.94.

Statement—Current expenses raised by congregation as above $205.15. Contributions—For objects in the Parish $5.00; for objects in the Diocese $107.93; for objects without the Diocese $55.94; total of contributions $168.87; all money raised by the congregation for current expenses and for contributions $374.02; cash in hand $5.16.

PAROCHIAL REPORT.

Rev. A. J. WILLIS, address, Middleway, W. Va. Church of the Holy Spirit; Nelson Parish, Summit Point, Jefferson county; date of organization, 1888; present minister took charge November 1, 1890.

Church Officers—Church Wardens, A. P. Thomson; other vestrymen, R. O. Allen, Geo. C. Whiting, N. H. Willis; Registrar, N. H. Willis, address, Summit Pt.; Treasurer, R. O. Allen, address Summit Pt.; Supt. of Sunday Schools, Preston Beller, Summit Pt.; S. S. Sec. & Treas., Preston Beller.

Official Acts—Presented for confirmation since last report, 1; burials, 1; public services, Sundays 52, other days 8, total 60; Holy Communion, public, 12; total 12.

Communicants—Number last reported 47, admitted by confirmation 1, total gain 1; died 1, total loss 1; present number total 47.

Congregations—Baptized persons connected with Parish 60; confirmed persons connected with Parish 47; families 16; whole number of individuals 200; number of sittings in church 250, number free sittings 250.

Rector's Salary—As pledged from this congregation $225; from Diocesan Missions $50; as pledged from other congregations $325; from convocation missions $100; from American Church Missionary Society $100; total $800.

Organizations—Sunday School, officers and teachers, male 2, female 3,

total 5; pupils male 5, female 10, total 15; Advent offering $2.00; other offerings $5.00; total Sunday School offerings $7.00.

Property—Church, material brick, insurance $2,000; value $4,000; total value $4,000.

FINANCIAL REPORT.

Receipts—For all purposes—Cash on hand, per last report $1.51; pledges and subscriptions $225; collections in church $127.20; Sunday school $7.00; total receipts for all purposes $359.20.

Disbursements—(1) *For current expenses*—Salary of Rector $225; other salaries $24; payment on debts contracted for current expenses $26; other current expenses $3.20; total for current expenses $278.20. *Contributions*—(1) *For objects in the Parish*—Communion alms (used for missions); maintaining Sunday Schools $5.00; total contributions for objects in the Parish $5.00. (2) *For objects in the Diocese*—Salary of Bishops $30.00, Diocesan missions $14.50; convocation missions $4.61; widows and orphans, aged and disabled clergy fund $2.30; Sheltering Arms Hospital $4.21; total contributions for objects in the Diocese, $55.62. (3) *For objects without the Diocese*—Domestic missions general $8.28; total domestic missions $8.28; foreign missions general $3.00; Brazil $4.08; total foreign missions $7.08; Dandridge's work in Alexandria $5.02; total contributions for objects without the Diocese $20.38.

Statement—Current expenses raised by congregation as above $278.20. Contributions—For objects in the Parish $5.00; for objects in the Diocese $55.62; for objects without the Diocese $20.38; total of contributions $81.00; all money raised by the congregation for current expenses and for contributions $359.20.

APPENDIX C.

Report of Committee on Assessment for the Year, May 1, 1904, to April 30, 1905.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON ASSESSMENTS, AT CLARKSBURG, JUNE 3, 1905.

Name of Parish.	*Diocesan Miss.*	*Epis. & Cont. Fund.*
Alderson	$ 6 00	$ 6 00
Berkeley Springs	25 00	30 00
Bluefield	40 00	30 00
Princeton	6 00	6 00
Bramwell	30 00	30 00
Eckman and McDowell Missions	20 00	20 00
Brooke County, St. John's	5 00	5 00
Buckhannon	10 00	10 00
Bunker Hill	5 00	5 00
Charleston, St. John's	200 00	275 00
Charleston, St. Luke's	8 00	7 00
Charleston, St. Matthew's	8 00	7 00
Charles Town, Zion	300 00	425 00
Charles Town, St. Phillip's	10 00	5 00
St. Andrew's on the Mountain	3 00	2 00
Clarksburg	125 00	125 00
Cresaps	5 00	5 00
Davis	8 00	8 00
Elkins Mission	10 00	10 00
Fairmont	75 00	100 00
Grafton	15 00	15 00
Harper's Ferry	20 00	20 00
Hedgesville	25 00	50 00
Hinton	30 00	20 00
Huntington	100 00	100 00
Kenova	5 00	7 00
Lewisburg	7 00	10 00
Ronceverte	8 00	8 00
Martinsburg	75 00	100 00
Middleway		
Nelson Parish		
Lee Town		
Summit Point		
	75 00	90 00
Mannington	10 00	10 00

Name of Parish.	*Diocesan Miss.*	*Epis. & Cont. Fund.*
Moorefield	20 00	20 00
Romney	16 00	16 00
Okonoko	10 00	10 00
Morgantown	50 00	50 00
Moundsville	40 00	60 00
Nuttallburg	5 00	10 00
Parkersburg, Trinity	350 00	525 00
Parkersburg, Good Shepherd	20 00	5 00
Parkersburg, St. Stephen	3 00	2 00
Tavennersville	10 00	3 00
Point Pleasant, Christ	50 00	50 00
Bruce Chapel	12 00	12 00
Spillman Mission	10 00	10 00
Powellton	20 00	20 00
Ansted	20 00	20 00
Ravenswood, Grace	10 00	10 00
Ripley, St. John's	15 00	15 00
Liverpool, Whittle	3 00	2 00
Ripon	10 00	20 00
Shepherdstown	75 00	75 00
Sistersville	40 00	40 00
New Martinsville	40 00	40 00
Smithfield, Wetzel County	5 00	5 00
Spruce Chapel	4 00	4 00
St. Albans	10 00	10 00
Montgomery	15 00	15 00
St. Mary's	15 00	15 00
Sutton	10 00	10 00
Union	35 00	50 00
White Sulphur	10 00	10 00
Fort Spring	5 00	5 00
Waverly	10 00	5 00
Wellsburg	25 00	25 00
Weston	75 00	80 00
Wheeling, St. Matthew's	425 00	600 00
Wheeling, St. Luke's	175 00	175 00
Wheeling, St. Andrew's	15 00	10 00
Chester	10 00	4 00
Williamson	.....	5 00
Wheeling, St. Paul's, Elm Grove	5 00	10 00
Williamstown	15 00	15 00
Willow Island	5 00	5 00
Beckley	6 00	6 00

Name of Parish.	*Diocesan Miss.*	*Epis. & Cont. Fund..*
Beury	5 00	5 00
Du Bree	5 00	5 00
Glen Jean	10 00	10 00
Immanuel, Mt. Carbon	5 00	5 00
Totals	$3,005 00	$3,665 00

Your committee recommends that payments on account of the assessment for the Episcopal and Contingent Fund be made to the Treasurer quarterly.

D. W. HOWARD.
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Tabulated Statement—Vital Statistics.

Tabulated Statement—Financial Statistics.

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ALPHABETICAL CLERGY LIST.	PARISHES, MISSIONS AND STATIONS.	Baptisms.		Confirmations.	Marriages.	Burials.	Communicants.		Baptized Persons.	Families and Parts.	Number in Sunday Schools.	
		Infants.	Adults.				Last Reported.	Present Number.			Teachers.	Scholars.
REV. JOHN S. ALFRIEND	Zion Ch., Charles Town	9	4	12	8	12	333	344	500	175	14	90
	St. Andrews on the Mountain	4	1	3	1	1	18	37	200	94	9	150
	Harewood Mission										5	40
REV. MORTON A. BARNES	Christ Ch., Fairmont	6	2		2	2	124	138	200	50	10	50
REV. J. BRITTINGHAM	St. Lukes, Wheeling	16	3	20	11	11	260	269	399	200	10	101
REV. E. H. BROSIUS	Christ Ch., Bluefield	5		1	1	1	106	109	190	69	4	27
	Heavenly Rest, Princeton	3					18	17	19	8		
REV. C. M. CAMPBELL	Christ Ch., Short Creek, &c				1	1	2	2	15	9		
REV. WILSON PAGE CHRISMAN	Trinity, Moundsville	12	2	10	4	2	64	74	166	141	13	134
	Grace, Cresaps Valley					1	9	9	18	7		
REV. GUY H. CROOK	Incarnation, Ronceverte	1		6			21	31	45	16	2	21
	St. James, Lewisburg	1			1	1	24	26	44	15		
	Marlinton							11	16	5		
	Grace Ch., Clover Lick						5	5	12	4		
	Holy Comforter, Fort Spring						8	8	11	4		
	Hillsboro						3	1	5	1		
	Huntersville						4	4	4			
	Anthony							1	5	1		
	St. Thomas, White Sulphur	1	3	2	1		41	43	80	21	8	85
REV. T. J OLIVER CURRAN	St. Andrews, Wheeling	17	9	14	4	10	75	89	226	64	10	163
REV. CREETUS A. DOWELL	St. Pauls, Sistersville		5	15	2	7	41	56	72	35	9	97
	Pennsboro			5			4	5	15	6		
	Cairo							13	16	5		
REV. JOHN S. DOUGLAS	Trinity, Martinsburg	13	1	6	6	11	165	175	290	110	13	110
	Christ Ch., Bunker Hill						7	8	16	6		
REV. GEO. W. EASTER	All Saints, Union	4			8	3	35	35	76	22	3	50
	Ch. of the Messiah, Alderson						4	4				

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ALPHABETICAL CLERGY LIST.	PARISHES, MISSIONS AND STATIONS.	Baptisms.		Confirmations.	Marriages.	Burials.	Communicants.		Baptized Persons.	Families and Parts.	Number in Sunday Schools.	
		Infants.	Adults.				Last Reported.	Present Number.			Teachers.	Scholars.
Rev. James L. Fish	St. Barnabas, Davis	2	2	7	2	2	37	42	66	34	4	30
	Grace Ch., Elkins	3	2	6	1	1	35	34	70	33	2	10
	Trinity Mission, Belington						10	6	9	3		
	Thomas						6	8	15	13		
	Parsons						6	7	14	7		
	Bayard	2							9	5		
Rev. James Howard Gibbons	Christ Ch., Pt. Pleasant	2		1	3	4	62	62	167	54	4	25
	Bruce Chapel, Elwell	3		1		2	26	27	45	16	4	35
	" Spillman	1					23	25	60	18	3	24
Rev. Geo. A. Gibbons	St. Stephens, Romney	1	3	9	2	1	21	30	40	20	4	18
	Emmanuel, Moorefield	1	3	3		2	30	33	60	18	5	21
	Epiphany, Okonoko						10	10	16	4		
	Keyser							12	15	6		
	Paw Paw	1					6	5	8	5		
Rev. John S. Gibson	Trinity, Huntington	5	4	15	5	34	200	205	430	152	11	75
	Grace, Kenova		1	2	1		8	11	21	9		
	Williamson			1		1	11	10	30	12		
Rev. Andrew G. Grinnan	St. Pauls, Weston	6	1	8	9	16	75	82	215	90	8	62
	St. Pauls Chapel, near Weston	3	1	2		2	13	13	22	8	3	34
Rev. David W. Howard	St. Matthews, Wheeling	18	7	25	30	15	550	550	600	309	12	140
Rev. Jacob A. Hiatt	Ascension, Hinton	5	3	5	2	3	49	30	60	100	2	24
	Glen Jean	1				1	15	9	25	24		
Rev. Edward D. Irvine	Christ Ch., Wellsburg	6	1	1	6	4	55	54	78	23	4	30
	St. Johns, Brooke Co				1	2	25	24	35	8		
Rev. Paca Kennedy	Grace Ch., St. Marys				3		29	28	29	10	6	29
	Grace, Ravenswood		1	3			20	20	30	13	5	31
	St. Johns, Ripley				1	1	36	34	46	15	3	34
	St. Johns, Willow Island						13	13	18	8		
	Ch. of the Messiah, Waverly						10	5	5	3		

REV. ARTHUR M. LEWIS	St. Davids, Powellton	7	7	8	1	7	34	41	73	21	8	65
	Redeemer, Ansted	8	8	2		1	36	38	83	17	6	60
	Calvary, Montgomery	1		1	1		19	24	37	16	3	20
REV. JOS. W. LIVINGSTON	St. Philips, Charles Town	1		6		2	23	33	40	12	8	40
REV. JOHN TILTON MARLEY	Trinity, Morgantown	4	1	7	2	5	56	87	113	34	7	51
REV. C. E. A. MARSHALL	Trinity, Shepherdstown	7	1			6	150	150	277	50	7	40
	Emmanuel, Mt. Carbon							7	19			
	St. Titus, Nuttallburg	2	3	2				12	20			
	Good Shepherd, Ferris							4	7			
	Mission, at Dubree							12	37			
	" " Beauty							5	11			
	Keenys, Wyndal, Page	4			1			13	28			
REV. WALTER HOWARD MEYERS	St. Johns, Sutton		1	4			10	10	27	10		
	Transfiguration, Buckhannon			2			25	28	30	15		
	Spruce Chapel, Lorentz	1					11	10	21	6		
	Scattered places							14	30	12		
REV. AUSTIN B. MITCHELL	Christ Memorial, Williamstown	1	1	1	1	3	27	28	62	40	6	21
	Good Shepherd Mission, Parkersburg	10	3	4		2	15	18	35	30	14	170
	Grace Chapel, Newport	1					10	10	20	28	5	25
REV. C. HELY MOLONY	St. Annes, New Martinsville				6	1	50	40	67	25	8	25
REV. FRANCIS MOORE	St. Pauls, Elm Grove	6	1	3	5	6	27	30	50	30	6	40
	New Cumberland Mission							10	26	10		
REV. S. SCOLLAY MOORE, D. D.	Trinity, Parkersburg	14	7	17	31	25	308	317	525	250	16	117
	St. Stephens, "						8	8	12	6		
REV. H. H. PHELPS	Holy Trinity, Bramwell	4	3					23	50	17	7	39
	Grace, Eckman							9	12	4		
	Mora, Crane Creek	2						4	10	3		
	.....Welch	2						20	18	10		
	.....Elkhorn							8	10	5		
	.....Gary							3	5	3		
REV. JAMES F. PLUMMER	Christ, Clarksburg	24	7	26	9	10	106	125	250	106	11	79
REV. ROBT. DOUGLAS ROLLER, D.D.	St. Johns, Charleston	35	7	36	7	12	310	346	637	257	16	134
REV. CHAS. E. SHAW	St. Marks, Berkeley Springs	1		1		1	23	23	44	16	5	21
	Mt. Zion, Hedgesville	5		1	1	1	65	65	72	52	12	55
REV. GEORGE C. SHAW	St. Andrews, Mannington			1	2	2	24	23	40	34	4	22
	St. Matthias, Grafton					1	32	31	41	21	3	12

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		Infants.	Adults.				Last Reported.	Present Number.			Teachers.	Scholars.
REV. PARIS BECKER STAUFFER	St. Johns, Harpers Ferry	1	.....	.....	.....	.....	31	32	46	27	8	88
	St. Johns, Ripon	4	.....	.....	.....	.....	29	33	50	31	7	28
REV. JOHN WARNOCK	St. Lukes, Charleston	2	.....	.....	3	4	27	27	66	16	4	48
	St. Matthews, Charleston	10	.....	.....	2	4	45	45	136	25	.....	.....
	St. Marks, St. Albans	4	.....	.....	.....	3	35	30	40	20	7	41
REV. A. J. WILLIS	Grace, Middleway	2	.....	1	.....	2	44	45	50	20	4	30
	St. Bartholomews, Leetown	.....	.....	3	.....	.....	35	38	40	212	4	15
	Holy Spirit, Summit Point	.....	.....	1	.....	1	47	47	60	116	5	15
SCATTERED COMMUNICANTS	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	....	157	.....	.....	.....	.....
TOTALS	.....	315	101	305	188	252	4,414	4,991	8,205	3,695	386	2,991

TABULATED STATEMENT—FINANCIAL STATISTICS.

ALPHABETICAL CLERGY LIST.	PARISHES, MISSIONS AND STATIONS.	DISBURSEMENTS.				Grand Total.
		Current Expenses.	Contributions.			
			Parochial.	Diocesan.	Outside the Diocese.	
REV. JOHN S. ALFRIEND	Zion Ch., Charles Town	$ 2,079 62	$ 2,007 75	$ 1,541 35	$ 552 64	$ 6,181 36
	St. Andrews on the Mountain	.....	25 00	9 00	4 00	38 00
	Harewood Mission	.....	5 00	10 00	.....	15 00
REV. MORTON A. BARNES	Christ Ch., Fairmont	1,902 05	404 72	195 00	148 22	2,649 99
REV. J. BRITTINGHAM	St. Lukes. Wheeling	3,882 95	2,087 21	539 41	392 31	6 901 88
REV. E. H. BROSIUS	Christ Ch., Bluefield	739 62	864 50	73 43	30 00	1,707 55
	Heavenly Rest, Princeton	22 55	.....	12 00	.....	34 55
REV. C. M. CAMPBELL	Christ Ch., Short Creek, &c.	.....	.....	2 00	.....	2 00
REV. WILSON PAGE CHRISMAN	Trinity, Moundsville	1,823 19	20 08	151 19	111 96	2,106 42
	Grace, Cresaps Valley	1 00	.....	9 81	.....	10 81
REV. GUY H. CROOK	Incarnation, Ronceverte	387 00	276 64	40 61	16 48	720 73
	St. James, Lewisburg	259 00	.....	21 00	6 30	286 30
	.....Marlinton	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
	Grace Ch., Clover Lick	.....	.....	4 27	.....	4 27
	Holy Comforter, Fort Spring	50 00	.....	16 00	.....	66 00
	.....Hillsboro	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
	.....Huntersville	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
	.....Anthony	60 00	.....	.....	.....	60 00
	St. Thomas, White Sulphur	75 00	.....	5 30	2 05	82 35
REV. T. J. OLIVER CURRAN	St. Andrews, Wheeling	1,228 47	165 00	55 00	15 00	1,463 47
REV. CREETUS A. DOWELL	St. Pauls, Sistersville	1,137 08	1,258 03	143 69	46 19	2,584 99
	.....Pennsboro	104 25	.....	.....	.....	104 25
	..... Cairo	8 25	.....	5 00	.....	13 25
REV. JOHN S. DOUGLAS	Trinity, Martinsburg	1,803 10	1,245 80	543 43	215 13	3,807 46
	Christ Ch., Bunker Hill	3 77	.....	7 35	4 99	16 11
REV. GEO. W. EASTER	All Saints, Union	453 50	29 00	145 25	113 97	741 72
	Ch. of the Messiah, Alderson	11 27	.....	9 36	3 90	24 53

TABULATED STATEMENT—FINANCIAL STATISTICS—Continued.

ALPHABETICAL CLERGY LIST.	PARISHES, MISSIONS AND STATIONS.	DISBURSEMENTS.				Grand Total.
		Current Expenses.	Contributions.			
			Parochial.	Diocesan.	Outside the Diocese.	
REV. JAMES L. FISH	St. Barnabas, Davis	$ 508 23	$ 141 81	$ 20 00	$ 8 00	$ 678 04
	Grace Ch., Elkins	465 70	96 40	34 80	10 00	606 90
	Trinity Mission, Belington	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
	....Thomas	10 00	.....	.....	.....	10 00
	....Parsons	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
	....Bayard	50 00	.....	.....	.....	50 00
REV. JAMES HOWARD GIBBONS	Christ Ch., Pt. Pleasant	540 77	313 16	133 80	97 90	1,085 63
	Bruce Chapel, Elwell	150 00	5 51	44 00	16 00	245 51
	" Spillman	50 00	34 27	21 00	16 75	122 02
REV. GEO. A. GIBBONS	St. Stephens, Romney	134 43	32 52	52 45	47 33	266 73
	Emmanuel, Moorefield	190 00	2 00	47 70	20 00	259 70
	Epiphany, Okonoko	37 00	.....	20 00	.....	57 00
	....Keyser	168 00	.....	.....	.....	168 00
	....Paw Paw	28 25	.....	9 00	5 00	42 25
REV. JOHN S. GIBSON	Trinity, Huntington	2,119 00	968 28	401 70	177 60	3,666 58
	Grace, Kenova	199 20	32 03	22 45	9 50	263 18
	....Williamson	111 00	.....	2 30	1 00	114 30
REV. ANDREW G. GRINNAN	St. Pauls, Weston	1,018 93	184 40	242 02	181 87	1,627 22
	St. Paul's Chapel, near Weston	63 08	1 58	9 54	9 56	83 76
REV. DAVID W. HOWARD	St. Matthews, Wheeling	7,596 42	3,045 50	2,832 85	1,400 39	14,875 16
REV. JACOB A. HIATT	Ascension, Hinton	536 53	271 30	36 61	.....	847 44
	....Glen Jean	225 00	.....	31 00	5 00	261 00
REV. EDWARD D. IRVINE	Christ Ch., Wellsburg	723 07	54 26	79 25	49 50	906 08
	St. Johns, Brooke Co	66 38	.....	5 00	2 45	73 83
REV. PACA KENNEDY	Grace Ch., St. Marys	259 75	297 00	28 30	.....	585 05
	Grace, Ravenswood	165 41	67 23	47 78	17 12	297 54
	St. Johns, Ripley	100 54	170 12	51 93	15 00	337 59
	St. Johns, Willow Island	32 00	55 54	13 00	7 19	107 73
	Ch. of the Messiah, Waverly	56 00	15 00	6 50	2 06	79 56

REV. ARTHUR M. LEWIS	St. Davids, Powellton	527 19	127 09	197 22	37 97	889 47
	Redeemer, Ansted	221 00	276 62	48 81	30 00	576 43
	Calvary, Montgomery	273 77	146 03	37 80	17 62	475 22
	Emmanuel, Mt. Carbon	29 00	.....	15 00	.....	44 00
	St. Titus, Nuttallburg	60 00	.....	20 00	.....	80 00
	Good Shepherd, Ferris	38 70	.....	5 00	.....	43 70
	Mission, at Dubree	1 50	.....	2 00	.....	3 50
	" " Beauty	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
	Keenys, Wyndal, Page	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
REV. JOS. LIVINGSTON	St Phillips, Charles Town	90 54	.....	10 00	10 90	110 54
REV. JOHN TILTON MARLEY	Trinity, Morgantown	1,880 51	421 72	88 95	64 01	2,455 19
REV. C. E. A. MARSHALL	Trinity Shepherdstown	915 74	51 20	197 99	72 76	1,237 69
REV. WALTER HOWARD MEYERS	St. Johns, Sutton	407 00	102 56	37 52	19 10	566 18
	Transfiguration, Buckhannon	223 16	6 30	27 60	7 70	264 76
	Spruce Chapel, Lorentz	18 50	2 60	4 40	5 00	30 50
	Scattered places	8 00	.....	.....	.....	8 00
REV. AUSTIN B. MITCHELL	Christ Memorial, Williamstown	266 54	44 85	33 10	37 24	381 72
	Good Shepherd Mission, Parkersburg	564 50	123 30	261 32	305 50	1,254 62
	Grace Chapel, Newport	42 00	29 00	32 00	20 10	123 10
REV. C. HELY MOLONY	St. Annes, New Martinsville	782 34	18 90	113 97	22 06	937 27
REV. FRANCIS MOORE	St. Pauls, Elm Grove	722 45	35 26	40 46	18 99	817 16
	New Cumberland Mission	88 02	.....	6 00	4 50	98 52
REV. S. SCOLLAY MOORE, D. D.	Trinity, Parkersburg	3,463 09	359 22	1,849 03	495 86	6,167 20
	St. Stephens, "	44 65	31 35	84	83	77 67
REV. H. H. PHELPS	Holy Trinity, Bramwell	1,331 48	1,001 65	96 99	24 22	2,454 34
	Grace. Eckmen	85 04	.....	14 20	12 07	111 31
	Mora, Crane Creek	6 94	.....	.....	2 30	9 24
	.....Welch	154 80	.....	16 95	3 33	175 08
	.....Elkhorn	3 65	.....	1 18	.....	4 83
	.....Gary	19 80	40	6 71	.....	26 91
REV. JAMES F. PLUMMER	Christ, Clarksburg	1,763 88	792 79	256 10	203 55	3,016 32
REV. ROBT. DOUGLAS ROLLER, D. D.	St. Johns, Charleston	2,627 82	2,519 58	678 54	285 50	6,111 44
REV. CHAS. E. SHAW	St. Marks, Berkeley Springs	304 01	52 76	52 50	28 11	437 38
	Mt. Zion, Hedgesville	337 32	29 39	120 00	23 84	510 55
REV. GEORGE C. SHAW	St. Andrews, Mannington	335 35	326 00	15 00	3 00	679 35
	St. Matthias, Grafton	420 94	77 80	46 50	6 23	551 47

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		Current Expenses.	Contributions.			
			Parochial.	Diocesan.	Outside the Diocese.	
REV. PARIS BECKER STAUFFER	St. Johns, Harpers Ferry	$ 175 79	$ 61 57	$ 96 75	$ 50 50	$ 384 61
	St. Johns, Ripon	146 70	.....	39 00	17 65	203 35
REV. JOHN WARNOCK	St. Lukes, Charleston	284 24	24 32	12 89	4 00	325 45
	St. Matthews, Charleston	173 63	20 20	5 00	6 30	205 13
	St. Marks, St. Albans	440 45	46 72	34 98	15 45	537 60
REV. A. J. WILLIS	Grace, Middleway	206 79	13 25	72 89	22 83	315 76
	St. Bartholomews, Leetown	205 15	5 00	107 93	55 94	374 02
	Holy Spirit, Summit Point	278 20	5 00	55 62	20 38	359 20
TOTALS	.....	$ 50,845 01	$ 20,657 76	$ 12,423 56	$ 5,711 80	$ 89,638 13

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Dr. A. S. Patrick.....Charleston, W. Va.
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Dr. J. M. Laird.....Montgomery, W. Va.
Dr. W. P. Howle.....Mt. Carbon, W. Va.
Dr. L. E. Rupert.....Powellton, W. Va.
Dr. J. E. Musgrave.....Handley, W. Va.
Dr. V. T. Churchman.....Charleston, W. Va.
Dr. H. G. Nicholson.....Charleston, W. Va.
Dr. A. A. Shawkey.....Charleston, W. Va.
Dr. E. A. Davis.....Mammoth, W. Va.
Dr. P. L. Gordon.....Carbon, W. Va
Dr. P. C. Haley.....Charleston, W. Va.

All physicians invited to co-operate with members of the Staff, and allowed to attend their own patients if they desire.

Diocese of West Virginia.

Officers, Committees, Etc., for 1904.

Bishop,

Rt. Rev. Geo. W. Peterkin, D. D., LL. D., Parkersburg. ....

Bishop Coadjutor,

Rt. Rev. W. L. Gravatt, D. D., Charles Town.

Secretary of the Council,

Rev. Robert Douglas Roller, D. D., Charleston.

Treasurer of Council,

L. E. Sands, Wheeling.

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Rev. A. J. Willis
Mr. J. Gassman.
Mr. Isaac H. Strider.
Judge Frank Beckwith.

Missionary Committee,

The Bishop of the Diocese, (*ex-officio*) President.
The Bishop Coadjutor, (*ex-officio*)

Rev. J. Brittingham.
Rev. J. S. Alfriend.
Rev. S. S. Moore, D. D.
Mr. B. M. Ambler.
Mr. Simms Powell.

Mr. L. E. Sands, Treasurer.

Diocesan Committee on Foreign and Domestic Missions,

Rev. D. W. Howard.
Rev. G. A. Gibbons.
Rev. J. S. Gibson.
Gen'l W. P. Craighill.
Mr. C. C. Coe.
Dr. G. A. Aschman.

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Robert M. Browne, Wheeling.

Trustees of Kenyon College.

Rt. Rev. Geo. W. Peterkin, D. D., LL. D.
Rt. Rev. W. L. Gravatt, D. D.
Mr. Jos. D. DuBois.

Trustees of Permanent (Episcopal) Fund,

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Central Banking and Security Co., Parkersburg, Treasurer.

Registrar of the Diocese,

Mr. B. M. Ambler, Parkersburg.

Standing Committee on Constitution and Canons,

Rev. Jno. S. Gibson.
Rev. D. W. Howard.
Rev. J. S. Douglas.
Mr. W. S. Laidley.
Mr. Joseph Trapnell.

Committee on Education,

Rev. G. W. Easter.
Rev. J. Howard Gibbons.
Rev. A. M. Lewis.
Mr. W. G. Hubbard.
Mr. C. L. Thompson.

Committee on Sunday Schools,

Rev. W. P. Chrisman.
Rev. C. E. Shaw.
Dr. G. A. Aschman.
George Rogers.

Examining Chaplains,

Rev. S. S. Moore, D. D.
Rev. J. S. Gibson.

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Rt. Rev. W. L. Gravatt, D. D.
Rev. S. S. Moore, D. D.
Mr. Joseph Trapnell.

Chancellor of the Diocese,

Joseph Trapnell, Charles Town.

Woman's Auxiliary,

Mrs. G. A. Aschman, Wheeling, President.
Valley Convocation, Miss M. G. McSherry, Vice-President.
Kanawha Convocation, Mrs. Ely Ensign, Vice-President.
North Western Convocation, Miss Gertrude Lamb, Vice-President.

Delegates to Missionary Council.

Rev. J. S. Gibson.
Rev. J. S. Douglas.
*Rev. S. S. Moore, D. D.
Gen'l B. D. Spillman.
Mr. J. T. Waters.
*Mr. H. W. Potts.

Deputies to General Convention.

Rev. S. Scollay Moore, D. D.
Rev. Robt. Douglas Roller, D. D.
Rev. David W. Howard.
Rev. John S. Alfriend.
Mr. Joseph Trapnell.
Mr. B. Mason Ambler.
Dr. G. A. Aschman.
Mr. C. L. Thompson.

Alternates.

Rev. J. Brittingham.
Rev. John S. Douglas.
Rev. John S. Gibson.
Rev. George A. Gibbons.
Mr. Peebles Tatum.
Judge Frank Beckwith.
Mr. Wm. S. Laidley.
Gen'l B. D. Spillman.

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*Elected by the Council.

Clergy of the Diocese of West Virginia.

Rt. Rev. Geo. W. Peterkin, D. D. LL. D., Bishop (1878) *Parkersburg, W. Va.*
Rt. Rev. W. Loyall Gravatt, Bishop Coadjutor (1893) *Charles Town, W. Va.*
Rev. Geo. A. Gibbons, (1878) Rector of Emmanuel, Moorefield, and in charge of Missions in Hampshire County ..... *Romney, W. Va.*
**Rev. Jno. F. Woods*, (1878) ..... *Philadelphia, Pa.*
Rev. Robt. Douglas Roller, D. D., (1879) Rector of St. John's, Charleston ..... *Charleston Kanawha Co., W. Va.*
**Rev. Jacob Brittingham*, (1881) Rector of St. Luke's, Wheeling ..... *Wheeling, W. Va.*
Rev. C. C. Pearson, (1882) in charge of St. Mark's, Berkeley Springs ..... *Berkeley Springs, W. Va.*
**Rev. Chas. M. Campbell*, (1886) In charge of Boone County Mission ..... *Racine, W. Va.*
Rev. S. Scollay Moore, D. D., (1888) Rector of Trinity Church, Parkersburg ..... *Parkersburg, W. Va.*
Rev. Andrew J. Willis, (1890) Rector of Nelson Parish, (Grace Church, Middleway; St. Bartholomew's, Leetown, and Church of the Holy Spirit, Summit Point) .. *Middleway, W. Va.*
Rev. Geo. W. Easter, (1892) Rector of All Saints Union, and in charge of Church of the Messiah, Alderson ..... *Union, W. Va.*
Rev. Jno. S. Gibson, (1892) Rector of Trinity Church, Huntington, and in charge of Grace Church, Kenova .. *Huntington, W. Va.*
Rev. B. M. Spurr, (1894) General Missionary and Supt. Reynold's Memorial Hospital ..... *Moundsville, W. Va.*
Rev. A. G. Grinnan, (1895) Rector of St. Paul's Church, Weston ..... *Weston, W. Va.*
Rt. Rev. C. C. Penick, D. D., (1899) Rector of Christ Church, Fairmont ..... *Fairmont, W. Va.*
Rev. Jno. S. Douglas, (1899) Rector of Trinity Church, Martinsburg, and in charge of Christ Church, Bunker Hill ..... *Martinsburg, W. Va.*
Rev. Chas. E. Shaw, (1899) Rector of St. Ann's, New Martinsville ..... *New Martinsville, W. Va.*
Rev. David W. Howard, (1899) Rector of St. Matthew's, Wheeling ..... *Wheeling, W. Va.*

Rev. Jas. L. Fish, (1900) in charge of St. Barnabas, Davis.....*Davis, W. Va.*
Rev. Thos. J. Oliver Curran, (1900) in charge of St. Andrew's, Wheeling.....*Wheeling, W. Va.*
Rev. John Tilton Marley, (1900) Rector of Trinity, Morgantown, and Warden of the Episcopal Hall....*Morgantown, W. Va.*
Rev. J. Howard Gibbons, (1901) Rector of Point Pleasant Parish, (Christ Church and Bruce Chapel)....*Point Pleasant, W. Va.*
**Rev. J. A. Hiatt*, (1901) in charge of Ascension, Hinton, and St. Peter's, Glen Jean.....*Hinton, W. Va.*
**Rev. Guy H. Crook*, (1901) Rector of Greenbrier Parish, (St. James, Lewisburg; Church of the Incarnation, Ronceverte, and St. Thomas', White Sulphur) and in charge of Missions in Pocahontas County.....*Ronceverte, W. Va.*
Rev. Arthur M. Lewis, (1901) in charge of St. David's, Powellton; Calvary, Montgomery, and Church of the Redeemer, Ansted .....*Powellton, W. Va.*
Rev. Everett Heath Brosius, (1902) Rector of Christ Church, Bluefield, and in charge of Heavenly Rest, Princeton .....*Bluefield, W. Va.*
Rev. Jno. S. Alfriend, (1902) Rector of Zion Church, Charles Town .....*Charles Town, W. Va.*
Rev. Wilson Page Chrisman, (1902) Rector of Trinity Church, Moundsville.....*Moundsville, W. Va.*
**Rev. Paca Kennedy*, Deacon, (1902) .....*Oxford, England.*
Rev. Robt. N. Meade, (1902) in charge of Holy Trinity, Bramwell and Grace Church, Eckman.....*Bramwell, W. Va.*
Rev. Paris B. Stauffer, (1902) Rector of Mt. Zion, Hedgesville, and in charge of St. John's, Harpers Ferry.....*Harpers Ferry, W. Va.*
Rev. Geo. C. Shaw, (1902) in charge of St. Andrew's, Mannington .....*Mannington, W. Va.*
Rev. C. E. A. Marshall, (1903) Rector of Trinity, Shepherdstown .....*Shepherdstown, W. Va.*
Rev. Creetus A. Dowell, (1903) Rector of St. Paul's Church, Sistersville. .....*Sistersville, W. Va.*
**Rev. John Warnock*, (1903) Rector of St. Mary's, St. Albans, and in charge of St. Luke's and St. Matthew's, Kanawha County.....*Charleston, Kanawha, W. Va.*
Rev. Edward D. Irvine, (1903) Rector of Christ Church, Wellsburg, and of St. John's, Brooke County.....*Wellsburg, W. Va.*
**Rev. Edwin B. Snead*, (1903) in charge of Church of the Transfiguration, Buckhannon and of Spence Chapel .....*Buckhannon, W. Va.*

**Rev. Maximo F. Duty*, (1903) Assisting Rev. Jno. S. Alfriend in work of St. Philip's, Charles Town.....*Charles Town, W. Va.*
Rev. Francis Van R. Moore, Deacon, (1903) in charge of St. Paul's, Elm Grove .....*Elm Grove, W. Va.*
Rev. Austin B. Mitchell, (1903) in charge of Christ Memorial Church, Williamstown; Chapel of the Good Shepherd, and Grace, Tavernersville.....*Williamstown, W. Va.*
Rev. F. A. Meade, (1902) in charge of Grace Church, Elkins.....*Elkins, W. Va.*
Rev. Robt. R. Windley, (1903) in charge of St. Matthew's, Grafton.....*Grafton, W. Va.*
***Rev. Jas. F. Plummer*, (1904) Rector of Christ Church, Clarksburg.....*Clarksburg, W. Va.*

GEO. W. PETERKIN,
Bishop of West Virginia.

Parkersburg, May 25, 1904.

**Not entitled to seats. *Absent.

RULES OF ORDER.

Adopted by the Eighth Annual Council, June 3rd, 1885.

ORGANIZATION.

1st. The Council shall be opened each day with prayer.

2nd. After the call to order, no member shall remain standing, nor afterward stand, except to address the Chair.

ORDER OF BUSINESS.

1st. After the organization of the Council, the following order of business shall be observed:

The appointment of a committee on the Credentials of Lay Delegates.

The appointment of a Treasurer *pro tempore*, when the Treasurer is absent.

The adoption of rules of order.

The reading of the journal of the preceding day.

The reading of the pastoral address.

The appointment of committees.

Reports of standing committees.

Reports of special committees.

Unfinished business.

2nd. There shall be appointed by the President, not later than the *second* day of the Council, unless otherwise directed, the following standing committees, to consist of an equal number of each order:

A Committee on the State of the Church, to whom shall be referred the address of the Bishop on the opening of the Council.

A Committee on Parochial reports.

A Committee on the admission of new Parishes.

A Committee on the Episcopal Fund, and the Permanent Fund.

A Committee on the Brotherhood.

A Committee on Unfinished Business.

ORDER OF DEBATE.

1st. When a motion is made and seconded, it shall be stated by the President, and if in writing, be read by the Secretary before debated.

2nd. After a motion is stated by the President, or read by the Secretary, it shall be deemed in possession of the Council, but may be withdrawn

by the mover at any time before amendment or decision, with the consent of his second.

3rd. Every motion shall be reduced to writing if the President or any member require it.

4th. No new motion or proposition shall be admitted under color of amendment, as a substitute for the motion or proposition under debate.

5th. When a question is under debate, no motion shall be received but to adjourn, to lay on the table, for the previous question, to postpone indefinitely, to postpone to a certain day, to commit, or to amend, which several motions shall have precedence in the order enumerated; and the first three shall be decided without debate.

6th. The previous question shall be admitted only when demanded by a majority of the members present. It shall be in this form: "Shall the main question be now put?" and until decided, all debate and amendment are precluded.

7th. A motion to adjourn shall always be in order, and shall be decided without debate.

8th. When a member desires to speak in debate, or present any matter to the Council, he shall raise from his seat, and respectfully address himself to the President, and shall confine himself to the question under debate, avoiding all personality.

9th. If any member transgress the rules of the Council, the President shall, or any member may, call him to order; in which case the member so called to order shall immediately take his seat, unless permitted to explain. If the ruling of the President be appealed from, the Council shall decide the question without debate.

10th. When two or more members rise at once, the President shall decide who is entitled to the floor.

11th. No member shall speak more than twice to the same question, without leave of the Council.

12th. The vote on all questions shall be taken by ayes and noes, whenever three members require it.

13th. Any member may call for a division of the question where the sense will admit of it, but a motion to strike out and to insert shall be deemed indivisible.

14th. Every member who may be in the house when the question is put shall give his vote, unless the Council, for special reasons, shall excuse him.

15th. No member shall vote upon a question, in the decision of which he is immediately and personally interested.

16th. Upon a division and count of the Council on any question, no member shall be counted who is not within the limits assigned as seats to the members.

17th. When a question has been decided by the Council, or postponed indefinitely, it may be reconsidered upon motion made by members voting in the majority: *provided*, such motion be made on the same or next or succeeding day of the session.

GENERAL REGULATIONS.

1st. No member shall absent himself from the meetings of the Council without leave, unless he be sick, or unable to attend.

2nd. The President shall, at his discretion, select suitable seats without the limits of those allotted to the use of the members, which shall be appropriated to the accommodation of visiting Clergymen and Candidates for Orders, who may be invited by the Rector or Wardens of the Church in which the meetings of the Council are held, under the directions of the President and Council.

3rd. No spectator shall, during the daily sessions of the Council, be admitted above or within the pews allotted to the members, and the Rector and Wardens of the Church in which the sessions of the Council are held, are directed to see that this rule is enforced.

4th. No rule of order shall be suspended except with the concurrence of two-thirds of the members present.

JOURNAL

Of the Twenty-seventh Annual Council of the Protestant Episcopal Church in the Diocese of West Virginia.

TRINITY CHURCH, MARTINSBURG, Wednesday, June 1, 1904.

The Twenty-seventh Annual Council of the Diocese of West Virginia assembled this day at 11 A. M.

The Rev. S. S. Moore, D. D. and the Rev. G. W. Easter read Morning Prayer. The Rev. Dr. Roller read the Lessons. Rt. Rev. W. L. Gravatt read the ante-communion.

The Rev. Chas. E. Shaw preached the Council sermon from the text. Acts i-8.

The Rt. Rev. G. W. Peterkin, D. D., LL. D., celebrated the Holy Communion, Bishop Gravatt assisting.

At the conclusion of the services Bishop Peterkin called the Council to order.

The roll call showed a quorum of both orders present.

The Bishop appointed the following Committee on Credentials:

Rev. Thos. J. Oliver Curran, Rev. E. H. Brosius, Mr. C. L. Thompson, Mr. George Kreglow.

On motion of Rev. J. S. Douglas, the following order was adopted by the Council: Meet at 9:30 A. M. Recess at 11 A. M. Meet at 2:30. Adjourn at 5 P. M.

The Rev. B. M. Spurr offered the following, which was adopted by a rising vote and the Secretary was instructed to wire the action of the Council to our dear brother:

Resolved, That this Council express its profound sympathy with and sorrow for our beloved brother, the Rev. Jacob Brittingham, in the sad loss of his son by drowning, and we beg to assure him of our ardent prayers, that God in his mercy will grant him the comfort and strength to endure in this, his hour of bereavement.

The Council took a recess for lunch.

WEDNESDAY, 2:30 P. M.

The Bishop called the Council to order.

The following standing committees were appointed:

STATE OF THE CHURCH.

Rev. D. W. Howard, Mr. G. W. Parsons.
Rev. G. W. Easter, Mr. W. E. Watson,
Rev. A. G. Grinnan, Mr. W. G. Hubbard,

PAROCHIAL REPORTS.

Rev. A. M. Lewis, Mr. Ben. R. Roller,
Rev. W. P. Chrisman, Mr. George J. Rogers.

NEW PARISHES.

Rev. John S. Gibson, Mr. Peebles Tatum,
Rev. A. J. Willis,

EPISCOPAL AND PERMANENT FUND.

Rev. S. S. Moore, D. D., Dr. A. G. Aschman,
Rev. J. S. Alfriend, Mr. B. Bryan.

UNFINISHED BUSINESS.

Rev. R. D. Roller, D. D., Mr. Wm. Kilmer,
Rev. R. N. Meade, Mr. W. W. Shearer.

FINANCE.

The Rt. Rev. the Bishop of the Diocese, then read his annual address as follows:

MAY, 1904.

Wednesday, 20th: The 26th Annual Council meeting to-day in St. Matthew's Church, Wheeling, was just two weeks before the usual time, in order to be coincident with the Bishop's 25th anniversary. The services were of unusual interest, and will be found detailed in the Secretary's report. We are under special obligation to the Rev. Jno. S. Gibson, for his admirable historical sermon, and cannot soon forget the late Bishop of Kentucky, who after an interval of twenty-five years, preached on our anniversary, as he did at our consecration. The presence also of the former Rectors, the Rev. Dr. Swope and the Rev. N. S. Thomas, added great interest to the occasion. According to our custom, our services continued through Sunday, 24th, Dr. Swope preaching at the Morning service and Bishop Peterkin in the evening.

Monday, 25, Tuesday, 26: Examination of candidates for orders, in Parkersburg.

Sunday, 31: A. M., preached in St. Matthew's, S. Charleston, and Consecrated the church. P. M. St. Andrew's, Davis Creek. P. P. M. St. John's, Charleston, confirmed 5.

JUNE.

Monday, 1: In company with the Rev. Dr. Roller I visited Carbon and Wake Forest on Cabin Creek, looking to the speedy establishment of services at those points. My appointment at Pratt for the evening failed, as we were unable to secure a building.

Sunday, 1: A. M. St. John's, Willow Island, preached and confirmed 1. P. M. At the house of Mr. Norris baptized an infant. P. P. M. Church of the Messiah, Waverly, preached and confirmed 1.

Monday, 8: Theological Seminary. Examination of candidates.

Tuesday, 9: Board of Managers of Missions. New York.

Tuesday 16, Friday 19: In attendance on the commencement exercises of the Theological Seminary and High School, including examination of candidates, meeting of the Education Society and of the Trustees, and of the Society of the Alumni. On Thursday of this week I officiated at a wedding near Bettsville and on Friday ordained Mr. Francis Van Rensaller Moore, deacon.

Sunday 21: A. M. Christ Memorial Church, Williamstown, also visited the Sunday school. P. M. Grace Church, St. Marys.

Tuesday, 23, Wednesday, 24: Attended the commencement exercises of Kenyon, and with Bishop Gravatt and Mr. DuBois, the meeting of the Trustees.

Thursday, 25: Meeting of the Diocesan Missions Committee in Parkersburg.

Friday, 26: In Trinity Church, Parkersburg, ordained to the priesthood Rev. J. A. Hiatt, Rev. Dr. Moore presenting the candidate and Rev. W. H. K. Pendleton, of Marietta, O., preaching the sermon. There were also present and assisting, Rev. J. Brittingham and Rev. Jno. F. Woods.

On the afternoon of the same day took part in a funeral.

Saturday, 27: Met and conferred with the vestry of St. Anne's, New Martinsville.

Sunday, 28: Preached A. M. and P. M. in St. Anne's, New Martinsville, and at the morning service consecrated the church. This commodious and beautiful building having been erected on the front part of the lot in such wise as to preserve the old church for a Sunday school and lecture room, the whole property now is one of the most complete and convenient in the diocese.

JULY.

Friday, 3: In Trinity, Parkersburg, after Litany service, addressed the Woman's Auxiliary.

Sunday, 5: A. M. and P. M. Trinity Church, Parkersburg. P. P. M. St. Stephen's Church.

Friday, 10: Visited the Sheltering Arms Hospital, and in the evening preached in the Baptist Church, Pratt, and confirmed 2.

Saturday, 11: Met the ladies of Ascension, Hinton.

Sunday, 12: A. M. and P. M. Ascension, Hinton, also visited the Sunday School.

Monday 13: Preached in the M. E. Church, Beckley.

Sunday, 19: A. M. and P. M. St. Paul's Church, Sistersville. At the A. M. service confirmed 1.

Sunday 26: A. M. and P. M. Christ Church, Clarksburg.

Friday, 31: Preached in the school house, Paw Paw.

AUGUST.

Sunday, 2: A. M. and P. M. St. Mark's, Berkeley Springs. At the morning service confirmed 1.

Monday, 3: Preached in the Presbyterian church, Bayard, and made arrangements for a monthly service from Davis.

Wednesday 4: Officiated at a wedding at Harding.

Sunday, 9: In St. Thomas', White Sulphur, confirmed 1. Bishop Van Buren preaching.

P. M. Preached in Eakles school house and confirmed 2.

Tuesday 11: Preached in the Presbyterian Church, Fort Spring.

Wednesday, 12: In the Church of the Incarnation, Ronceverte, confirmed 6.

Thursday, 13: St. James' Church, Lewisburg.

Sunday, 16: A. M. Preached in the ball-room at the Old Sweet Springs, and P. M. at the Salt Sulphur.

Monday, 17: All Saints, Union.

Tuesday, 18: Preached in the school-room at Linside.

Wednesday, 19: Preached in M. E. Church, Cashmere.

Thursday, 20: Preached in the Presbyterian church, Red Sulphur Springs.

Sunday, 23: A. M. and P. M. St. Mark's, St. Albans. In the afternoon at St. John's, Scary.

Friday, 28: Preached in the Presbyterian church, Nuttall

Sunday, 30: A. M. Calvary, Montgomery. P. M. The school house, Mt. Carbon. P. P. M. St. David's Church, Powellton.

Monday, 31: Preached in the school house, Beauty.

SEPTEMBER.

Tuesday, 1, Thursday, 3: Attended the Kanawha Association, taking part in public services and in business meetings.

Friday, 4: Preached in Baptist church, Glen Ferris.

Sunday, 6: A. M. Church of the Redeemer church, Ansted. P. M. Presbyterian church, Debree.

Sunday, 13: A. M. Trinity, Martinsburg. P. M. Christ Church, Bunker Hill. P. P. M. Mt Zion, Hedgesville, confirmed 4.

Monday, 14: New York. Commission of Bishops on Mexico.

Tuesday, 15: Board of Managers of Missions, New York.

Wednesday, 16, Thursday, 17: Attended meeting of the Eastern Convention, St. John's Ripon, taking part in public services and in business meetings. Preached at the Thursday, P. M. service.

Sunday, 20: A. M. Preached in St. John's, Brooke County, and confirmed 4. P. M. In Christ Church, Wellsburg, and confirmed 4.

Tuesday, 22: St. Stephen's Romney.

Wednesday, 23: Zion Church, North River.

Thursday, 24: Preached in the Presbyterian church, Lost City.

Friday, 25: Preached in the Presbyterian church, Petersburg.

Sunday, 27: A. M. and P. M. Emmanuel church, Moorefield, also visited the Sunday school.

Tuesday, 29: Administered the communion in Trinity Church, Parkersburg and confirmed 1, also took part in a funeral.

OCTOBER.

Thursday, 1: Visited the Sheltering Arms Hospital, also Beury, expecting to have services but was disappointed.

Friday, 2, Sunday, 4: Held services during these days in Christ Church, Boone County. On Sunday, A. M. administered the communion and in the afternoon had a special service for the children.

Sunday, 11: St. James', Richmond.

Sunday, 18: A. M. and P. M. St. Timothy's Church, Wilson, N. C. In the afternoon at Elm City.

Tuesday, 20, Friday, 23: In attendance on the Pan-American Council of Bishops, Washington, D. C.

Friday, 23: P. M. Preached in Memorial Church, Baltimore, on the occasion of the 25th anniversary of Rev. Dr. Dame, who succeeded me in 1878 as Rector of this church.

Sunday, 25: Preached in Trinity Church, St. Marys City, Md.

Tuesday, 27, Friday, 30: In attendance on the Missionary Council in Washington.

NOVEMBER.

Sunday 1: Trinity Church, Howard, County, Md., preached and administered the Communion.

Sunday, 8: A. M. and P. M. St. Paul's, Ogontz. P. P. M. Ogontz school.

Tuesday, 10: Board of Managers of Missions, New York

Wednesday, 11: At the Seminary, meeting of trustees.

Friday, 13: Preached, in the Baptist Church, White Day.

Sunday, 15: A. M. and P. M. Trinity, Morgantown. At the morning service confirmed 4.

Monday, 16: Preached in M. E. Church, Kingwood.

Tuesday 17: Preached in St. Matthias Church, Grafton.

Sunday, 22: A. M. Baptist Church, Hartford. P. M. Church of Our Savior, Mason. P. P. M. In the Chapel of Spilman, confirmed 2.

Tuesday, 24: In Baptist Church, Winfield, confirmed 2.

Thursday, 26: Thanksgiving Day. Christ Church, Point Pleasant.

Friday, 27: Preached in school house at Morgans.

Sunday, 29: A. M. Preached in Bruce Chapel and confirmed 5, also visited the Sunday school. P. M. Christ Church, Point Pleasant.

DECEMBER.

Saturday, 5: Met the vestry of St. Matthew's Church, Wheeling.

Sunday, 6: A. M. Preached in St. Paul's, Elm Grove and administered the communion. In the afternoon addressed the Sunday school, and in the evening preached in St. Andrew's, Wheeling.

Tuesday, 8: Addressed the Woman's Auxiliary, St. Matthew's, Wheeling.

Wednesday, 9: Preached in St. Matthew's, Wheeling.

Thursday, 10: Visited Reynold's Memorial Hospital, inspected the building and audited the accounts, finding them correct and sustained by proper vouchers.

Friday, 11: St. Andrew's Church, Mannington. After hard experiences, this congregation seems now in possession of a good building.

Sunday 13: A. M. and P. M. Preached in Christ Church, Fairmont, and in the morning confirmed 2.

Sunday, 20: A. M. and P. M. Trinity Church, Parkersburg.

Thursday, 24: Attended the Sunday school celebration of Trinity Church, Parkersburg.

Sunday, 27: A. M. Preached in the Chapel of the Good Shepherd, Parkersburg. P. M. Preached in Christ Church, Williamstown, confirmed 1 and baptized an infant.

JANUARY.

Sunday 3: A. M. Christ Church, Williamstown. P. M. Grace Church, Tavernersville.

Sunday, 10: A. M. and P. M. Preached in Trinity Church, Moundsville; also visited the Sunday school.

Sunday, 17: A. M. Preached in the Church of the Incarnation, and P. M. in the Church of the Holy Apostles, Philadelphia.

Sunday 24: A. M. St. John's, Ripley. P. M. Grace, Ravenswood.

Sunday, 31: A. M. M. E. Church, Cairo. P. M. M. E. Church Pennsboro.

FEBRUARY

Sunday, 7: A. M. Christ Church, Williamstown. P. M. Chapel of the Good Shepherd, Parkersburg, the minister in charge being absent at my request, filling a vacant pulpit.

Sunday, 14: A. M. Chapel of the Good Shepherd, Parkersburg. P. M. St. Luke's, Marietta, O., the minister being absent at my request, filling a vacant pulpit.

Monday, 15: Took part in a missionary service in Trinity Church, Parkersburg, and introduced the General Secretary of our Mission Board, the Rev. Dr. Lloyd.

Sunday, 21: The Rector being absent at my request, filling the vacant pulpit at Ripley, I preached A. M. and P. M. in Trinity Church, Parkersburg.

Sunday, 28: A. M. Preaching at St. Timothy's Church, Wilson, N. C. In the afternoon took part in the service and baptized an infant.

MARCH.

Sunday, 6: Preached at Eagle Point, Gloucester County, Va.

Friday, 11: Preached at the Holy Innocents Chapel, Gloucester County.

Sunday, 13: Preached in Abingdon Church, Gloucester County.

Friday, 18: Preached in St. James' Church, Richmond, Va.

Sunday, 20: A. M. Preached in St. James, Church, Richmond, and P. M. in Emmanuel, Henrico County, Va.

Sunday, 27: A. M. Preached in St. Matthew's Church, Wheeling, and confirmed 30. P. M. In St. Luke's Church, and confirmed 7.

Monday, 28: Made an address in St. Luke's Church, Wheeling.

Tuesday, 29: A. M. In St. Paul's Church, Sistersville, I preached and ordained to the priesthood the Rev. Creetus A. Dowell; the Rev. Dr. Moore presented the candidate and with the Revs. Chas. E. and Geo. C. Shaw united in the imposition of hands. P. M. I preached in St. Pauls Church and confirmed 6.

Thursday, 31: I preached in Trinity Church, Parkersburg.

APRIL.

Friday, 1: Good Friday. Preached in Trinity Church, Parkersburg.

Sunday, 3: Easter Day. A. M. Preached in Grace Church, St. Marys and confirmed 1. P. M. Preached in St. Anne's, New Martinsville and confirmed 5.

Sunday, 10: Preached morning and evening in Trinity Church, Shepherdstown. In the afternoon preached in Chapel of the God Shepard, Duffields, and confirmed 1 in private.

Tuesday, 12: Attended a meeting of the Board of Managers of the Missionary Society in New York.

Wednesday, 13: Attended the session of the N. W. Convention in Trinity Church, Morgantown, also met the vestry of the parish.

Friday, 15: Preached in the Presbyterian Church, Belington. The prospect for our building in the near future is good.

Sunday, 17: A. M. Grace Church, Elkins, confirmed 2. P. M. St. Barnabas, Davis, confirmed 6. These two churches, which were formerly united in administration, have now each a resident minister. At Elkins Rev. F. A. Meade, whom we welcome back, after his temporary sojourn in Virginia, and at Davis, Rev. Mr. Fish, who, before had charge of the whole field.

Monday, 18: Preached in the Presbyterian Church at Parsons. In this growing town we hope soon to start a building.

Sunday, 24: Preached A. M. and P. M. in St. Matthew's Church, Wheeling, the Rector being absent on a missionary tour through the Eastern Convocation.

Thursday, 28: In the Cathedral, Louisville, Ky. I took part in the memorial service for the late Bishop Dudley and preached the sermon.

MAY.

Sunday, 1: A. M. Church of the Holy Spirit, Summit Point, confirmed 1. P. M. St. Bartholomew's, Leetown, confirmed 1. P. P. M. Grace Church, Middleway.

Tuesday, 3: Grace Church, Ravenswood, confirmed 2.

Wednesday, 4: Examination of candidates in Parkersburg.

Sunday, 8: Zion Church, Charles Town, confirmed 9. P. M. St. Andrew's on the Mountains, confirmed 1. P. P. M. St. Philip's, Charles Town, confirmed 1.

Thursday, 12: Ascension Day. A. M. Christ Church, Clarksburg, confirmed 6. I was glad to welcome the new Rector, the Rev. Mr. Plummer, to the Diocese and to find that he was much encouraged at the outlook. P. M. St. Paul's, Weston.

Friday, 13: St. Paul's Chapel, Middle Run, confirmed 4.

Sunday, 15: A. M. Spruce Chapel, Spruce Run. P. M. Church of the Transfiguration, Buckhannon. After services had a meeting of the congregation. Mr. Snead, who has rendered most acceptable service at these points, has accepted a call to Southern, Ohio.

Monday, 16: St. John's, Sutton.

Tuesday, 17: Preached in the Baptist Church, Little Otter, to a large congregation.

Wednesday, 18: Preached in a school house at Centralia.

Thursday, 19: Preached in the Presbyterian Church, Richwood. We hope to be able to supply all these points during the coming year.

Sunday, 22: Preached morning and evening in All Saints, Union, and at the evening service confirmed 1.

Tuesday, 24: Attended the annual meeting of the Corporators and Directors of the Sheltering Arms Hospital.

Sunday, 29: A. M. Grace, Tavernersville and administered the communion. P. M. Chapel of the Good Shepherd, Parkersburg.

CHANGES IN THE DIOCESE.

Letters Dimissory.

Letters dimissory have been given in behalf of *Rev. W. H. Neilson, D. D.*, to the Diocese of New Jersey; the *Rev. Norman F. Marshall* to the missionary district of New Mexico; the *Rev. Thos. W. Cooke* to the Diocese of Lexington; the *Rev. Gerald Card* to the Diocese of Calgary, Canada; the *Rev. Thos. C. Darst* to the Diocese of Virginia; and to the *Rev. Jas. D. Miller* to the Diocese of Maryland.

Letters dimissory have been received in behalf of the *Rev. Edwin B. Snead* from the Diocese of Virginia; the *Rev. Maximo F. Duty* from the Diocese of Virginia; the *Rev. Austin B. Mitchell* from the Diocese of Maryland; the *Rev. F. A. Meade* from the Diocese of Virginia; the *Rev. Robt. R. Windley* from the Diocese of Pennsylvania; and the *Rev. Jas. F. Plummer* from the Diocese of Washington.

The clergy list has also been increased by the ordination to the Deaconate of *Mr. Francis VanRansellear Moore.*

The *Rev. Jno. F. Woods* has resigned the charge of St. John's Willow Island, and of Grace Church, Cresaps, and removed his residence to Philadelphia; the *Rev. Jas. L. Fish* has given up the charge of Grace Church, Elkins, and of Belington, and having removed his residence to Davis, has now charge of St. Barnaba's, Davis, and of the missions at Parsons and Bayard; the *Rev. Jacob A. Hiatt* has resigned the charge of Ravenswood Parish, with the missions attached, and has assumed charge of Ascension, Hinton, St. Peters, Glen Jean, and of the mission at Beckley; the *Rev. Paca Kennedy* has been continuing his course in Oxford, England, and on its completion this summer will return to the Diocese; the *Rev. Paris B. Stauffer* has given up the charge of Ascension, Hinton, and become Rector of Mt. Zion, Hedgesville, and in charge of St. John's, Harper's Ferry; the *Rev. Geo. C. Shaw* has given up the charge of St. Mary's, Waverly, at St. John's, Willow Island, and assumed charge of St. Andrew's, Mannington; the *Rev. Edwin B. Snead* has given up the charge of Sutton, confining his ministrations to Buckhannon and Spence; the *Rev. Maximo F. Duty* has become assistant to *Rev. Jno. S. Alfriend* in the work at St. Philip's, Charles Town; the *Rev. Francis VanR. Moore* has taken charge of St. Paul's, Elm Grove, and also of the missions at Chester and New Cumberland; the *Rev. Austin B. Mitchell* has taken charge of Christ Memorial

Church, Williamston, and of the Chapel of the Good Shepherd, Parkersburg, and Grace, Tavenersville; the *Rev. F. A. Meade* has taken charge of Grace Church, Elkins, and of the mission at Belington; the *Rev. Robt. R. Windley* has taken charge of St. Matthias, Grafton, and up to April also had charge of the missions at Cairo and Pennsboro; the *Rev. James F. Plummer* has become Rector of Christ Church, Clarksburg (including St. Thomas Chapel, North View).

Postulants.

C. Hely Molony. James Davis Gibson.

Candidates for Deacons and Priest's Orders.

W. Howard Meyers. Percy N. McDonald.
T. Getz Hill. Edmund P. Dandridge, 2nd.
Richard W. Trapnell.

For Priest's Orders.

Paca Kennedy. Francis VanR. Moore.

I have ordained during the year, *i. e.* since May 1, 1903:

Francis VanR. Moore to the order of Deacon and *Rev. Jacob A. Hiatt* and *Rev. Creetus A. Dowell* to the order of Priests.

I have also during the same time consecrated St. Matthew's Church, near Charleston, and St. Ann's, New Martinsville.

I have also, during the same, attended five meetings of the Board of Managers of the General Missionary Society in New York, the meetings of the Missionary Council and of the Pan American Conference in Washington; two meetings of the Trustees of the Seminary near Alexandria; one meeting of the Trustees of Kenyon College, at Gambier, Ohio, and have paid four official visits to the Hospitals at Paint Creek and Moundsville, attending the annual meetings of the Board of Directors.

SUMMARY.

I have confirmed 132 persons on 36 different occasions, and delivered 203 sermons and addresses. I have ordained one candidate Deacon and two Deacons Priests, and consecrated two Churches, and attended sixty-six meetings other than public services as reported, paying in all 139 visits to 101 places.

I report to the Council the following regularly organized Missions:

Mission.	P. O.	Church.
Taylor Co	Grafton	St. Matthias
Hampshire	Romney	St. Stephens
Hampshire	Okonoko	Epiphany
Upshur	Buckhannon	Transfiguration

Elk River	Sutton	St. Johns
Morgan Co	Berkeley Springs	St. Marks
Harpers Ferry	Harpers Ferry	St. Johns
New River	Hinton	Ascension
Cresaps	Cresaps	Grace
Coal Valley	Montgomery	Calvary
Advent	Ansted	Redeemer
Princeton	Princeton	Heavenly Rest
Wayne Co	Kenova	Grace
Bluefield	Bluefield	Christ
Bramwell	Bramwell	Holy Trinity
Ripon	Ripon	St. Johns
Powelton	Powelton	St. Davids
Elm Grove	Elm Grove	St. Pauls
Wheeling	Wheeling	St. Andrews
St. Lukes	Charleston	St. Lukes
St. Matthews	Charleston	St. Matthews
Madison	Clover Lick	Grace
Norbourne	Bunker Hill	Christ
Spruce Run	Lorentz	Spruce
St. Thomas	White Sulphur	St. Thomas
Davis	Tucker	Christ
Christ Memorial	Williamston	Christ
Grace	Eckman	Grace
Elkins	Elkins	St. Barnabas
St. Marys	St. Marys	Grace
St. Andrews	Mannington	

REPORTS.

We have, now for a long time, been making efforts to secure more satisfactory reports from the various charges in the Diocese, year by year. In this we have met with some measure of success, and I believe that we now need only some slight changes in our present form to give us one that will be full and at the same time simple.

This is perhaps a more important matter than at first sight it appears to be. I know that with some persons there is a prejudice against reports as dealing too much with mere form, and with others there is a singular inaptitude for any work of this kind. Still, making all due allowance, I believe that a careless report shows a careless administration. If it were not for the consciousness that this is so, some of our reports would be positively ludicrous, as for instance where one man reports total receipts for all purposes of $430; total expenditures, $535, and yet a balance on hand of $35. He ought to give us the secret of his management; or as another reports upwards of $5,000 for current expenses, and about the

same for contributions, or $10,000 in all, while the receipts from all sources, including borrowed money, amount to only one-half that sum. I think we ought to add to our Seminary curriculum a course on report making. In the meantime I hope that none of our clergy will fail to give this matter the serious attention it deserves.

I am led to make these remarks by going over the Parochial Reports that have come into my hands. I could wish that all could have that privilege. It would be quite a revelation. My attention has this year been called specially to the returns. Reports given in regard to missions, Diocesan and general, and whatever may be said of the weakness of the places represented and the strong local pressure upon them, I think many of the reports indicate but a feeble administration. I find, for instance, in 26 reports which I put aside as coming perhaps from the weakest points, that while they give as many as 635 communicants, their total contributions to missions, Diocesan and general amounted to only $225.72, and I cannot believe that this represents the real interest or ability of the people. The real explanation, I am disposed to think, is that the subject has not been frankly and wisely brought before them, and I say this al the more freely because it can be proven that if these 635 communicants had been in some way led up to give in proportion to the communicants in what is demonstrably the smallest and weakest Church in the Diocese, they would have given $1,524 instead of $225. This whole duty of Church extension is one that ought to be present continually on our hearts and consciences, so that our people would learn to regard it as fundamental and necessary. We should start out in the new year with this distinctly before us, and strive ever to impress upon all Church people, however few, or scattered that their alms as well as their prayers should go up as a memorial before God.

One word more, before I leave the subject of reports. What difficulty exists on this score is because many of the clergy will not follow the form which the Diocese has prescribed. The departure from this form is chiefly in two particulars: First, in the matter of current expenses and contributions. The form of Parochial Report which has been adopted arranges to keep these objects entirely separate, as it seems to me they ought to be in order, to give any clear idea of the administration in our several congregations. Again, the departure from the form is seen in the fact that money which is borrowed, and money secured from the outside is so often reported as if it were contributed by the congregation. Of course to do this is to give an erroneous idea as to the strength of the Parish, and indeed to make a report which is not in accordance with the facts of the case. This method of making out reports, which is not only inaccurate, but in face of the direction given on page 9 of the blank is carried to such an extent that in the report now in my hands, the contributions have been swelled to the extent of $13,498.12 beyond what they really have been, and as the result, but for the corrections I have made we

would have been liable to an addition to our apportionment for General Missions to the extent of $387.93. I suppose every one is glad to see the figures in our reports swelled to the highest possible point, but that is not sufficient reason why we should report as contributions of our congregations, what we have borrowed and what has been given us from the outside. With the permission of the Council such modification will be made in certain of the headings in our present blank as to avoid the difficulties mentioned, for the future. There would have been ground for the fear that the blank itself was confusing save for the fact that out of 68 reports received only 26 departed from the prescribed form, leaving 42 correctly made out.

HOSPITALS.

Our hospitals have been doing a good work during the past year.

The Sheltering Arms Hospital at Paint Creek has cared for 389 patients, the number of nursing days being 8,444, which is 117 more than ever before. For this work there has been received from the miners and coal companies the sum of $7,520.43; from invested funds and special contributions, $1,722.39, and from the churches, i. e., chiefly, the annual offering on Thanksgiving Day, $738.36, making in all $9,981.18. The expenditures have been for salaries of doctor, nurses, matron, and the maintenance of the Training School, $3,034.49; for general expenses, $5,907.89; on account of new building, $727.25, a total of $9,669.63.

Steps have been taken to push forward the new building to completion at an early day, the hope being entertained that the 51 coal companies who in one way or another contribute to the annual expense fund, will help us towards this consummation.

The Reynolds Memorial Hospital reports through the Superintendent, the Rev. Mr. Spurr, that they have in the last year cared for 565 patients, of which number 270 were charity cases. The cost of maintaining the hospital for the year was $10,231.17 and $2,000 additional was spent on improvements.

Three nurses were graduated from the training school, to whom I delivered diplomas in December last, and there are now ten undergraduates.

THE SPECIAL FUND.

During the Councilar year the receipts for the Special Fund have been as follows:

From	Charles Town	$ 140 79
	Charleston	35 00
	Fairmont	5 00
	Grafton	5 66
	Huntington	50 00

Kenova	10 00
Parkersburg, Trinity	494 00
Parkersburg, Good Shepherd	373 30
Martinsburg	8 33
Powellton	50 00
Shepherdstown	60 00
Tavernersville	5 00
Union	1 00
Wheeling, St. Matthews	64 50
Wheeling, St. Lukes	100 00
Wilow Island	25 00
Weston	14 00
White Sulphur	100 00
Outside Sources	231 00
	$1,772 58

In the meantime the disburseemnts of this fund has been for various objects as follows:

For Sheltering Arms Hospital, 5 grants	$ 263 50
Printing, books, papers, &c	455 30
Specials to the clergy, 16 grants	647 52
American Church Missionary Society	12 50
Church buildings, 5 grants	218 76
Theological students, 2 grants	75 00
Rectories, 3 grants	100 00
	$1,772 58

The opportunities for this Fund are, as they have been, practically unlimited. I still cherish the hope that it may receive a more general support.

NECROLOGY.

I do not generally occupy the time of the Council with any extended notice of those, our friends and brethren, whom God, in his wise providence, has taken to Himself since our last meeting, but to-day I want to say a few words about two who were with us in Wheeling last May, and are now, we believe, in the Paradise of God.

The late Bishop of Kentucky was my life-long friend and has been with us more than once, on occasions of public interest and importance. He was well known, and most highly esteemed throughout the Diocese, and I am sure that many have felt a sense of personal loss in his death. His gifts were of a very high order and freely used in the public service of the

Church. In the general life of the Church there was no more prominent figure. His influence was felt everywhere. In the State which was proud of him, and in the Diocese to which he gave a prestage unknown before, in the House of Bishops, of which he was the honored chairman, in the commission for work among the colored people, of which he was the active and efficient chief, in the Board of Managers of our Missions, where he was a valuable counsellor, in the Church in Canada and the Church in England, where he was widely known and honored, and where by visits from time to time, he greatly helped to cultivate the happily prevailing fraternal feeling towards the Church in the United States. Truly one of our great leaders has passed away from us and in common with the great body of the Church, we lament his loss, and we honor his memory.

Just about the same time with the death of Bishop Dudley occurred that of Judge Rogers, of Wheeling. He was a devoted member of St. Luke's church, and Chancellor of the Diocese. Judge Rogers' interest in the Church was unfailing, and it was manifest all throughout his career by the personal service which he gave, and the substantial help he was always ready to render. In his long and active service he was more particularly identified with St. Luke's church, Wheeling. This congregation for years had the benefit of his nursing care, and in more ways than one must keenly feel his loss. Judge Rogers belonged to what we may properly call our old fashioned Virginia churchmen. Plain in his tastes, simple in his religious faith, but having devotion to the Master and His Church wrought into the very fibre of his being. He was from the first deeply interested in the Diocese, and gave it his wise counsel and his cordial support, and it was his happiness to see the blessing of God upon the labors which with like-minded men he put forth then to maintain and advance the Kingdom of God.

THE BROTHERHOOD OF ST. ANDREW.

The annual report of the Brotherhood of St. Andrew in the United States, for 1902-1903, has so brought before me the whole work for which the Brotherhood stands, that I feel I must say a few words about it.

The silence about the Brotherhood in West Virginia, is I fear, ominous. For all I see and hear to the contrary, many of its chapters must be inactive, and that notwithstanding what is called the forward movement in its present history.

I have been disposed in time past, rather to hold aloof from the active operation of the Brotherhood, not from indifference, but because it has seemed to me that it was needful to put, as far as possible, responsibility for its management upon the laymen who composed it. If it be true in any sphere of life that education consists largely in putting responsibility upon the individual, and helping him to shoulder it, and work it out, may it

not be specially true in regard to the Brotherhood. It may be, in some instances that the clergy, too impatient of results, have attempted too much to direct and control the Brotherhood. My idea is to get it fairly started and then let the members work out their own salvation.

It maybe, too, that the departing—though with the best intentions—yet the departing from the simple rules of "definite prayer and personal service" have operated to check the development of the work. The Brotherhood, as I understand it, was never meant to take up all the work which laymen should do in the Church, although all departments of that work should feel the inspiration that comes from the quickened spiritual life of its members.

My advice to our chapters would be not to attempt too much, but to work strictly along the line of the Brotherhood's Rules of Prayer and Service. In my judgment, their work is rather to vitalize in the way the general work of the Church, than to attempt to do it themselves.

If they thus keep to the simplicity of their organization, they will be the better able to add to their numbers and so widen their influence. This is a vastly important point, because it is estimated that the average chapter loses ten per cent of its membership every year, and this loss must be made good if the chapter is to maintain its efficiency.

Certainly this is a matter of sufficient importance to engage the most serious attention of our clergy and laity. I say of the clergy as well as the laity, for the clergy can do a vast deal to foster and encourage such organization without attempting so to run them as to supersede the activities of the members. The great point that all can help thus to emphasize and illustrate, is that, after all, the only true Christian life is one spent in definite service in behalf of others.

TWENTY-FIFTH ANNIVERSARY.

The meeting of the 26th Annual Council of the Diocese in Wheeling, on the 20th of May last year, was to me an occasion of unmixed pleasure and gratification. To have attained to a 25th anniversary was in itself no small achievement, but to have had all these years marked by the goodness and loving kindness of the Lord as shown in the prosperity of the Diocese, and in the unbroken harmony prevailing throughout our wide bounds, was something well nigh beyond experience and expectation. But to-day, by the lapse of a whole year after those festal days, we are reminded that anniversary days are but incidents; we must come down from these mounts of observation, and take up our work and go forward as God's providence points out the way. Very much land remains yet to be possessed, and we have need to be diligent in doing what our hands find to do, the workmen change, but the work must go on, and so we, who are here to-day, having our faces steadily set to the future, rejoice in the opportunity given us to be coworkers with the

Master in hastening His kingdom. None of the clergy, save the Bishop, are forbidden to seek other fields of labor where they may be able, perhaps, to exercise their ministry for the greater glory of God, but loyalty to the great Church of which the Parish and Diocese are after all, only a small part, should prompt and oblige us to undertake with zeal and carry on with diligence that work whether it be large of small, to which in the providence of God, we have been for the time assigned. Hardly anything is more demoralizing to the man or more hurtful to the Church than to have the minister continually looking out of and beyond his charge, not only losing interest in his work in desire for some other, but so showing that loss of interest as to discourage and demoralize his people. And this will prove, after all, but a poor way to advance any interests even from a worldly standpoint. I cannot tell you how, but I am convinced that the shortest as well as the most honorable road to preferment—if we may call it by this name—is diligent, unselfish, loyal service in the charge we already have. That charge, however small and humble it may be, is, after all, the great honor of our lives, and we are to purchase to ourselves a good degree by thorough going earnestness for the Kingdom whatever our position may be. The Diocese of West Virginia is one of the smallest of the tribes of Israel, but when we do our diligence to serve here, we are approving ourselves faithful servants, who shall in no wise lose their reward.

BUSINESS METHODS.

I have taken occasion so often during the last few years to insist upon the importance of carrying business methods into the management of our congregations, that I fear the exhortation is somewhat in danger of losing its effect. It is however sufficiently important in itself, and also as rendering the churches more ready for and efficient in distinctly aggressive work, as to deserve to be insisted upon again. In visiting a congregation a few months ago I found that the rector and vestry had agreed to make an assessment for all current expenses, in place of pew rents, subscriptions, and collections on occasions of public worship, and the principle upon which they acted seems to me indisputable, although, of course, I understand that even in putting principles into exercise, we can by no means always speedily accomplish our purpose.

The rector and vestry of whom I speak, argued out the case somewhat in this wise: that a certain number of people being associated together to meet certain expenses, they had mutually agreed to incur, that the fair and honorable thing was for each one of that number to do his or her part—i. e., for all to bear their share of the common expense. It would hardly seem as if anyone could do or would be willing to be considered as doing less than so much as this. If a dozen of us associated ourselves together in any enterprise, secular or religious, in any enterprise that in-

volves expense, undertaken by common agreement, and for our mutual satisfaction and advantage, it is hard to state on what principle any one of us should be willing to do less than our part toward the common result, as the failure of anyone must, of necessity put an additional and unfair burden on someone else. The case is so simple that its mere statement ought to be sufficient. If you call upon a congregation to contribute for missions in Africa or China, or for some work nearer home, it is after all but one of many objects, and for many reasons it does not follow that all are equally interested or obliged, but when you call upon the different members of the congregation who are associated together for a definite purpose, for the means to carry out the definite purpose of their association, whether it be to pay the rector or the sexton, or to light and heat the church, then, since these and such like things are matters of common concern, it is to say the least very unseemly for one and another to put off upon some other member of the association, any part of his or her share of the burden of making such provision, as was ordered by, and is needed for all. If you have two or three or four parties of equal means, all privy to such understanding, then the administration is very simple, the whole expense being naturally divided into two, or three, or four parts as the case may be. Of course, when the number of such associating parties is increased and their financial condition greatly varies, the difficulty of administration is increased, but the principle remains unchanged, and seems to me to be of equal obligation. I think there can hardly be any more inequitable way of meeting these common current expenses than by collections taken up in the church, because there the faithful few are again and again dunned to meet obligations incurred by all and for all—obligations which a very large proportion of the congregation practically escape, by absenting themselves, with more or less reason, from the service. And oftentimes scarcely less inequitable is the ordinary subscription when there is so little regard paid to the comparative ability of subscribers to meet the common debt. Of course there are many notable exceptions—perhaps more than enough to prove the rule—but that does not altogether relieve the general situation. In making such assessment or apportionment, call it what you will, the greatest care must, of course be taken, lest it should in some cases be considered unfair. It is believed however that if it be made by a vestry that fairly represents the people, that it will in the vast majority of cases be accepted by the people, and produce most excellent results in the working of the congregation. You will hardly find anyone who is not willing to avow that he is ready and willing to do his part, no one would like to be thought unwilling to do so much as that; if then that part be fairly assigned I believe we shall see a more hearty and efficient co-operation than is usual. Certainly the plan seems worthy of trial.

APPORTIONMENTS AND ASSESSMENTS.

The principle underlying apportionments and assessments is the same, though there seems to be a kind of tacit understanding that the failure to meet apportionments shall not be carried on in our accounts as arrears, and I very much fear that this operates at times to lessen the sense of obligation. We have had a large increase made this year in our apportionment for the General Missions of the Church, and I think it will require all our diligence to meet it. This has seemed to some to be an undue or unfair burden put upon us especially because the large increase in our contributions was due greatly to the effort we had made to increase the Permanent Fund. Still we raised the money for that fund and it stands there on the record as helping to show our ability. During the last four or five years we have increased our Permenent Fund upwards of $30,000. In addition to the help that is to us in our Diocesan administration, it shows a vitality and power we ought to be glad to utilize for the general advancement of the Kingdom. Our general contributions are in some cases twice as great as those of Dioceses of about the same size. No doubt they would be glad to take our apportionment if they could raise our contributions.

I am afraid, however, that after all the efforts made in one way or another, both by Diocesan and general agencies, that many of our clergy do by no means yet appreciate the obligations of which we are speaking. and one chief reason I have for making such statement at this time, is that I find both in the matter of general apportionment and of Diocesan assessment, that months—sometimes half the year—are suffered to pass without doing anything to meet these accumulating responsibilities. I cannot but characterize this as very poor administration. It does the congregations injustice by accumulating obligations that ought to be spread out over the year, all in a few months, and it cripples the administration of the Church when the funds that have to be regularly paid out come so irregularly in, that debts are incurred and interest has to be paid. Why should not every man, in the very beginning of the year, deliberately face all its obligations, and from the very first, begin to make provision to meet them regularly and promptly. It would be hard for anyone to tell what is gained by a delay that is demoralizing to the congregation and embarrassing to all beneficiaries.

SMALL CHURCHES.

We have been more than usually troubled during the past year in securing supply for our smaller congregations. At times the difficulties in the way seem almost insuperable, and they are not peculiar to West Virginia, or to the Episcopal Church. I find them everywhere, and they are discussed now under one aspect and now under another. The question

is often proposed under the title of "The Difficuties of Our Country Churches," and that fits our case fairly well, for although we may not have many churches that we would speak of as absolutely in the country, yet often times the villages are very small, and even those that claim the more pretentious title of town, would hardly be counted as such in more populous states. Under the designation, then of country churches we may fairly place about one-half of the congregations that have regular services, perhaps 40 in number, to say nothing of double that number of places which we are trying to reach with the ministrations of our church.

These difficulties that are inherent in the situation, are being met in two ways, which seem to give reasonable promise of success.

First. We are trying more frequently so to combine various points—if you choose, many points—under the leadership of one man, that we can secure such support as will enable us to secure a man of more experience and capacity than such small places can generally obtain, being fully convinced that the services of such a man, for a part of the time, are often worth more to a church than the services of a man of less experience and ability for the whole of the time. Unfortunately many of our small congregations fail to recognize this fact, and so commit themselves to the plan of having a resident minister, that failing in this, they give but scanty support to any other plan, although it may be the only one practicable. And yet, experience shows that such congregations very much overestimate the advantages of a resident minister, and when they do from time to time secure one, they fail to make the progress predicted. The simple truth is that be our advantages what you please, yet the great mass of the people of the various communities where our services are established, are well satisfied with their church affiliations, and have no idea of leaving them to join us. Time and again our sanguine members have been encouraged by friendly expressions from outsiders, to indulge hopes which have been doomed to meet with disappointment. After the experience of these years I am the more convinced that if we can get Godly and experienced men, with the physical endurance for such work, and a sufficient sense of the proportion of things to keep them from slighting the smaller places and putting them off with the minimum of attention, that we shall find this the most effective plan for our work. There are perhaps some places that require services to be held continuously and uninterruptedly, but I believe that oftentimes the results do not justify the contention. At all events, we will have to make up our minds that unless we more freely adopt some such plan, we shall have to abandon large sections of territory in this state, and that in view of the fact that our early successes and advances were all made under this system.

Second. The second way in which these difficulties are being met is by the freer use of our women in the work of the Church. There can be no doubt but that in all lines of missionary effort, woman's work is becoming

increasingly prominent and rightly so. In speaking of this some one has recently said that the modern Priscilla is not only competent to teach Appolos the things that may be lacking in his message, but also to carry the Gospel message herself to communities that are not able to avail themselves of the services of Apollos.

Boards of Missions in some states are availing themselves to good advantage of the services of Christian women in sparcely settled regions, where the churches are utterly unable to support pastors. These workers go from house to house with the Gospel message; they gather the children in Sunday schools; and hold meetings on week day evenings as well as on the Lord's day. Their house to house visitations supply a need which in such sections, the clergy seem unable to meet. May not more of our sparcely settled country, and our mining districts, yes, and our feeble missions find great help in the problems that confront them in connection with the sripitual life of the people, in the consecrated labors of Christian women, who desire to devote their time to the Master's work. We have made but a beginning in such work, yet one full of promise. On the mountain near Charles Town, in Parkersburg, at the Sheltering Arms Hospital, and at Ansted, Christian women are now doing such work with marked ability and success. These women are now reaching in Parochial schools, and boys' clubs, and sewing schools, and girls' societies of various kinds. more than 300 children, who would otherwise be practically untouched by any such uplifting and churchly influence, and in addition to that they are, by house to house visitations, and by personal ministration to the sick and to the well, reaching hundreds of individuals, who have been as sheep without a shepherd.

In these two ways we are making some little progress in what our hands find to do. We thank God and take courage.

And here I cannot but touch upon a question that I know is sometimes troublesome, especially where we have but small bands of friends and communicants in the midst of large communities who have other church associations. Some persons have a short and easy method of solving the problems of which we have been speaking, by saying that it is best for the little minority of church people in many communities, to abandon their distinctive features, and throw in their lot with some other communion which, in the providence of God, seems fully established. Of course, if a man cannot give a reason of the faith that is in him, if he be not fully persuaded in his own mind, if he be indifferent as to the various questions of doctrine, discipline and worship that distinguish the churches one from the other, if, in short, for him one church is just as good, as efficient, as scriptural as another, why, then, perhaps we had better let the matter rest as far as such an one is concerned. But I do not believe this feeling is common, and it is well it is not, for it seems to me that this spirit of indifferentism will cause a man to fail to measure up to the highest standard of excellence in character and usefulness of life. If any eccles-

iastical organization in the world can claim to be on record as against division in the body of Christ, it is the Episcopal Church. She has never separated from any other organization, nor has she condemned or pronounced judgment on those who have separated from her. She stands where she has always stood, both ecclesiastically and organically, on the faith and order of the Primitive Church. There are some of her people, I grant you, who have themselves taken this matter in hand, and by their judgment and criticism have often made it appear that we stand in an arrogant attitude toward non-Episcopal churches. In the freedom they enjoy in this comprehensive church, you have an illustration of how an organization may show the defect of its merits, but meantime the Church steadily declines to criticize or pronounce judgment upon those from whom we have been unhappily separated.

The particular point, however, which I want now to insist upon is that no irenic spirit, and no recognition of the grace of God which is manifest in the abundant labors of the Christian ministers about us, can justify us in turning a deaf ear to our scattered people who are looking to us to help them to the privileges which we ourselves already enjoy. It is just along this line that plans for consolidation and co-operation often break down. We, who are in the larger centers, may, perhaps, seek to free ourselves from much responsibility and from many burdens, by advising some small band of church people appealing for help, to unite with some other body of Christians, but how would we like such advice to be given to ourselves under similar circumstances. I cannot imagine it acceptable, except in the case of those who, however, pious, have more or less that spirit of indifferentism to which I alluded.

Without entering into the discussion of church principles, or seeking to bring out distinctly what may be called the church idea, I am disposed to adopt the sentiments of a prominent divine of another church, who, contending against the idea of church indifferentism, says that the observation of twenty-five years of active pastoral work has convinced him that the usefulness of any church member is in direct proportion to the strength of his attachment to his own church, and this depends upon the intensity of his convictions as to the tenets and the distinctive features of that church. Those who have no sincere convictions, and are generally indifferent, thinking one church just as good, as efficient, as scriptural as another cannot be depended on in any good work. They will send their children to the Sunday school of other churches, and will themselves attend other churches as convenience or caprice may dictate. Some of the older ones among us may remember how, during the war between the States, we always looked askance upon a man, who, while he professed to be a soldier, yet disclaimed connection with any particular regiment or battalion. I suppose there might have been exceptions, but such a position did not commend itself to our judgment. Of course, we don't want bigots and partisans, but we do want men who have some, not only preferences, but

convictions, touching the work and worth of their own churches. Loyalty to our own church, need not be synonymous with narrowness, and conscientiousness may consist with the warmest charity, but for all that the true churchman will work for Christ and the Church, all the more efficiently if he is thoroughly persuaded that his church is apostolic in its order, scriptural in its doctrine, and that its forms, hallowed by the use of so many generations, are the best for decency, comfort and edification. Every such man, however kindly his feelings toward all about him, will nevertheless feel that he has been appointed of Almighty God to stand for most important facts, and it requires such men to build up a church as it should be built, and to hasten the coming of the Redeemer's kingdom.

So we find our work goes on year after year without any great difference in method or result. While we must be hopeful, we must also avoid unreasonable expectations. After all that I have said about the importance of loyalty to our own branch of the Catholic Church, and deeply as I feel that our efficiency in advancing the Kingdom is chiefly determined by our efficiency in that organization with which in the providence of God we are identified, yet when you come to the last analysis, the great stimulating thought is that we are working for Christ and the Church, rather than simpy for our branch of the Church. We must be contented to take our place and do our part in the great work of bringing our State and country and the whole world into obedience to Christ. In certain places and at certain times that part may be very much less prominent and effective than we could desire, and as a consequence discouragement may ensue. We must, however, learn to rejoice in the progress of the Kingdom even if it be not exactly along those lines which we specialy favor. We are not the only laborers in the Lord's vineyard, the whole burden of work and responsibility for advancement does not fall upon our shoulders. Loyalty to Christ and an earnest desire to serve Him should be the great inspiration. Then we shall work along day by day, and year by year, and though we yet see not anywhere all things put upder Christ's feet, yet in all our work—whether the world calls it successful or not—we are sustained by the confident belief that Christ shall reign and that His Kingdom shall so come that every knee shall bow to him, and every tongue confess that He is Lord of all. To this work we consecrate ourselves afresh, and may the good Lord accept the imperfect offering, and make us glad and faithful in His service, even while life shall last.

The Committee on Credentials made this report:

The Committee on Credentials respectively report that the following persons are duly certified delegates and alternates to this Council.

THOS. J. OLIVER CURRAN,
E. H. BROSIUS,
C. L. THOMPSON,
GEO. T. KREGLOW.

PARISHES.

Parish.	P. O.	Church.	Delegates.
1. All Saints 1871.	Union	All Saints	1. John M. Rowan.
			2. J. D. Logan.
			3. A. S. Johnston.
			1. E. S. McNeer.
			2. C. A. Shanklin.
			3. G. A. McCleam.
2. Bangor	St. Albans	St. Mark's	.....
3. Bethel	Clarksburg	Christ	1. Wm. F. Nuzum.
			2. W. P. Goff.
4. Christ	Fairmont	Christ	*W. E. Watson.
			1. J. E. Sands.
5. Christ	Wellsburg	Christ	.....
6. Emmanuel	Moorefield	Emmanuel	*1. Wm. H. Shearer.
			2. R. D. Pollock.
			3. Thomas Lakin.
			*1. W. W. Shearer.
			*2. Lester Rinker.
			3. H.M.T.Gamble, M.D.
7. Greenbrier	Lewisburg	St. James	.....
8. Kanawha 1788.	Charleston	St. John's	1. Wm. Sidney Laidley.
			*2. Ben R. Roller.
			*3. Wm. G. Hubbard.
			1. J. Lynn Richardson.
			2. Angus M. McDonald.
			3. Alfred Phillips.
9. Norbourne 1769.	Martinsburg	Trinity	*1. C. A. Miller.
			*2. Jacob Gassman.
			*3. H. L. Alexander.
			1. A. M. Gilbert.
			2. W. B. Colston.
			3. John E. Boyd.
10. Norbourne 1769.	Hedgesville	Mt. Zion	*1. Geo. B. Kreglow.
			*2. P. C. Myers.
			1. W. B. Lingamfetter.
			2. J. H. Miller.
11. Nelson 1888.	Middleway		1. Chas. Lu as.
			2. W C. Fraser.
		Lee Town	*3. James Grantham.
			1. J. H. Strider.
		Summit	2. Geo. H. Shirley.
			3. Wm. Gilbert.
12 Pt. Pleasant	Pt. Pleasant	Christ	1. P. C. Eastham.
			2. H. E. Spilman.
			3. C. K. Blackford.
			1. L. S. Pomeroy.
			2. M. L. Tyler.
			3. C. A. Waggoner.
13. Ravenswood	Ravenswood	Grace	.....
14. St. Andrews	Charles Town	Zion	*1. Jos. Trapnell.
			*2. Richard Henderson.
			3. B. C. Washington.

15.	St. Andrews.	Shepherdstown.	Trinity.....	1. A. S. Dandridge. *2. John O. Aglionby. 3. Dr. D. W. Border. 1. P. P. Marshall. 2. Dr. Hop. Gibson. 3. F. W. Muzzey.
16.	St. John's....	Willow Island..	St. John's.....	.....
17.	St. Luke's....	Wheeling.....	St. Luke's..	L. E. Sands. *Wylie Irwin. *Geo. J. Rogers. E. B. Bowie. C. H. Copp. W. A. Wilson.
18.	St. Matthew's	Wheeling.....	St. Matthew's....	*1. Hullihen Quarrier. *2. Dr. G. A. Aschman. *3. Prebles Tatum. 1. J. D. DuBois. 2. Cyrus P. Flick. 3. Julien Hearne.
19.	St. Paul's....	Weston.....	St. Paul's.....	1. E. M. Vandervort. 2. R. H. Harrison. 3. E. G. Davisson. 1. H. C. Bailey. 2. J. S. Mitchell. 3. A. N. Kunst.
20.	Trinity..... 1846.	Parkersburg.....	Trinity.....	1. W. N. Chancellor. *2. B. D. Spillman. 3. Simms Powell. 1. F. Fowler. 2. W. G. Peterkin. 3. H. H. Moss, Jr.
21.	Trinity.....	Moundsville	Trinity.....	1. V. A. Weaver. 2. Friend Cox. *3. H. B. Tyler. 1. C. L. Walton. 2. A. J. Martin. 3. M. P. Hendrickson.
22.	Glen Allen ..	Morgantown	Trinity.....	1. L. D. Beall. 2. Harry Zeverly. *3. F. W. Truscott.
23.	Trinity.....	Huntington	Trinity.....	*1. C. L. Thompson. 2. C. D. Emmons. 3. Thos. W. Moore. 1. Edmund Sehon. 2. John Walton Ensign. 3. Gustavus A Northcott
24.	Wetzel..... 1851.	New Martinsv'le	St. Anne's	1. Bruce Hall. 2. S. R. Martin. 3. A. L. Johnson. 1. John F. Martin. 2. Wm. McG. Hall. 3. Leslie Williams.
25.	St John's.....	Cross Creek.....	St. John's.....	.....
26.	Tyler.....	Sistersville.....	St. Paul's.....	1. Geo. W. Stocking..... 2. George F. Durham. 3. A. B. Hunt.
27.	Bluefield..... 1903.	Bluefield.....	Christ	.....

MISSIONS.

Mission.	P. O.	Church.	Delegates.
Taylor Co.	Grafton	St. Matthew's	Dr. A. H. Thayer. G. W. Lockyer, Sr. Charles W. State. Louis B. Brydon.
Hampshire	Romney	St. Stephen's	*S. W. Parsons. Wm. N. Baird.
Hampshire	Okonoko	Epiphany	*Ned Russell. Henry M. Russell.
Upshur	Buckhannon	Transfiguration	
Elk River	Sutton	St. John's	
Morgan Co.	Berkeley Spr'gs	St. Mark's	F. R. Reed.
Harper's Ferry	Harper's Ferry	St. John's	*Barnabas Bryan.
New River	Hinton	Ascension	
Cresaps	Cresaps	Grace	
Coal Valley	Montgomery	Calvary	Venable Johnson. N. R. Coles.
Advent	Ansted	Redeemer	R. C. Taylor. W. H Evans.
Princeton	Princeton	Heavenly Rest	
Wayne Co.	Kenova	Grace	Frank R. Peck.
Ripan	Ripon	St. John's	
Bramwell	Bramwell	Holy Trinity	
St. David's	Powellton	St. David's	D. T. Evans. Dr. A. W. DeBell.
Elm Grove	Elm Grove	St. Paul's	
Wheeling	Wheeling	St. Andrew's	
St. Luke's	Charleston	St. Luke's	
St. Matthew's	Charleston	St. Matthew's	
Madison	Clover Lick	Grace	
Norbourne	Bunker Hill	Christ	*John K. Cunningham. Joseph Morgan.
Spruce Run	Lorentz	Spruce	
St. Tnomas	White Sulphur	St. Thomas	
Davis	Tucker	Christ	
Christ Memorial	Williamstown	Christ	J. W. Snodgrass.
Grace	Eckman	Grace	
Elkins	Elkins	Grace Church (St. Barnabas)	*C H. Scott. I. P. Gassman.
St. Mary's	St. Mary's	Grace	
St. Andrew's	Mannington	St. Andrew's	

Those marked * were present.

The Treasurer of the Diocese presented his report, which was referred to the Committee on Finance. (For report see Appendix A.)

A communication from the International Congress on Rest, was referred to the Committee on the State of the Church.

A memorial from the Diocese of California on the Revised Version of the Bible, was presented and referred to a special committee of three clergymen and one layman.

The Bishop appointed the following:

Rev. John S. Gibson.
Rev. J. S. Alfriend.
Rev. C. E. A. Marshall.
Dr. G. A. Aschman.

A request from the Diocese of Virginia was read soliciting the co-operation of this Diocese in securing the General Convention for Richmond, Va., in 1907, and the delegates to be elected were instructed to work and vote for it.

The Rt. Rev., the Bishop Coadjutor, then read his address as follows:

DIARY FROM MAY, 1903, TO JUNE, 1904.—W. L. GRAVATT.

DIARY.

May 20th, Wednesday: Sunday, 24th, Annual Diocesan Council, St. Matthew's Church, Wheeling.

The 20th: Took part in the opening services of the Council.

Sunday, 24th, A. M.: Preached in St. Luke's Church, Wheeling, and confirmed two.

Sunday, the 31st. At the request of the officials of the Presbyterian Church, Charles Town, preached A. M.

P. M. Read service and preached at St. John's Church, Ripon.

JUNE.

Sunday, the 7th: Assisted in service and preached in Zion Church, Charles Town.

Wednesday, 10th: Officiated and preached in Zion Church, Charles Town.

Tuesday, 16th: Attended meeting of the Board of Trustees of the Virginia Theological Seminary at Alexandria, Va.

Wednesday, 17th: At Mountain Lake Park, Md. Officiated at the marriage of Harvey F. Smith and Anita Collins.

Thursday, 18th: Attended a meeting of the Alumni of the Virginia Theological Seminary.

Friday,, 19th: At the Virginia Theological Seminary, ordained to the Priesthood Robert Nelson Meade, Thomas C. Darst, Edwin B. Snead; Presented by Rev. J. S. Gibson and Rev. John Moncure, D. D.

JULY.

Sunday, 1st: A. M. Read service, reached, celebrated the Holy Com-

munion in Trinity Church, Martinsburg. 3 P. M. Read the service and preached in Grace Church, Bunker Hill.

Friday, 10th: Officiated at the funeral of Dr. Butler, Trinity Church, Shepherdstown.

Sunday, 12th: A. M. Read service and preached in Christ Church, Clarksburg. 5 P. M. Officiated at the funeral of Miss Jenny Link in Clarksburg. 8:30 P. M. Read service and preached in Christ Church, Clarksburg.

Monday, 13th: I went to Weston to confer with the Rector of the Church in Buckhannon about the work in his territory.

Tuesday, 14th: Went to Fairmont to confer with Bishop Penick about the work in Mannington.

Sunday, 19th: A. M. and P. M. Read service and preached in Christ Church, Clarksburg.

Monday, 20th: Went to Parkersburg to confer with Bishop Peterkin.

Thursday, 23rd: Visited the work on Blue Ridge Mountain.

Sunday, 26th: Preached in St. Peter's Church, Port Royal, Va.

AUGUST.

Sunday, 2nd: Preached in Zion Church, Charles Town.

Sunday, 16th: Read service and preached in Zion Church, Charles Town, A. M. P. M. Read service and preached at Harewood Mission.

Sunday, 23: Read service and preached in Zion Church, Charles Town, A. M.. 3 P. M. Read service and preached at St. Andrew's on the Mountain. 7 P. M. Officiated in Zion Church, Charles Town.

Tuesday, 25th: Preached in the Church of the Incarnation, Ronceverte, and confirmed two.

Wednesday, 26th: Preached in the Presbyterian Church, Hillsboro.

Thursday, 27th: Preached in the Presbyterian Church at Huntersville.

Friday, 28th: Preached in the Presbyterian Church, at Marlinton.

Saturday, 29th: I went, with Rev. G. H. Crook, to look over the field at Durbin.

Sunday, 31st: A. M. and P. M. Preached in Grace Church, Clover Lick.

Monday, 31st: Visited Mingo and baptized the child of Mr. Charles Bruce.

SEPTEMBER.

6th: Read service and preached in the Church of the Messiah at Alderson.

Tuesday, 8th: Visited Nuttallburg and officiated at the marriage of Miss Alice Taylor and Mr. Marion Dawson.

Sunday, 13th: Read service and preached in Christ Church, Blue Ridge Mountain, A. M. and P. M.

17th 18th and 19th: I spent in Port Royal, Va.

Tuesday, 29th: In St. Ann's Church, New Martinsville, I confirmed four and made an address.

Wednesday, 30th: A. M. In St. Ann's Church, New Martinsville, ordained to the Priesthood Rev. George Shaw. The sermon was preached by the Rev. S. S. Moore, D. D. The candidate was presented by Rev. Dr. Moore. Rev. Jacob Brittingham, Rev. C. E. Shaw, Rev. W. P. Chrisman, Rev. A G Grinnan, assisting. P. M. Made an address to the Convocation in St. Ann's Church, New Martinsville...

OCTOBER.

Thursday, 1st: Visited Reynolds Memorial Hospital and inspected the entire plant.

Friday, 2nd: Visited Grace Church, Cresaps; preached and confirmed one.

Saturday, 3rd: A. M. Visited Wheeling to confer with Rev. F. Van R. Moore about the work in Chester.

Sunday, 4th: Visited St. Paul's Chapel, Middle Run, A. M. and preached. 2:00 P. M. Consecrated the Chapel at Middle Run, and preached. 7:30 P. M. Preached in St. Paul's Church, Weston.

Monday, 5th: Preached in the Presbyterian Church, at Richwood.

Tuesday, 6th: Visited Camden-on-Gauley and preached in the Methodist Church.

Wednesday, 7th: Visited St. John's Church, Sutton; read the service and preached and had a conference about the work in that field.

Friday, 9th: Visited Fairmont.

Sunday, 11th: A. M. Consecrated the Church of The Transfiguration at Buckhannon and preached. P.M. Visited Spruce Chapel; preached and confirmed one. 7:30 P. M. Preached in the Church of the Transfiguration, Buckhannon and confirmed four.

Monday, 12th: Visited Grafton.

Sunday, 18th: Visited St. John's Church, Ripon; read the service and preached.

Sunday, 25th: Preached in St. Paul's Church, Alexandria, Va.

20th to 24th: Attended a Conference of Bishops in the Pro-Cathedral, Washington, D. C.

27th to 29th: Attended the Missionary Council held in Washington.

NOVEMBER.

Sunday, 1st: Visited Epiphany Church, Okonoko; preached morning and evening.

Tuesday, 11th: Attended a meeting of the Board of Trustees of the Virginia Theological Seminary.

Sunday, 15th: Visited St. Bartholomew's Church, Leetown; preached and confirmed one. P. M. Preached in Grace Church, Middleway.

Sunder, 22nd: Officiated in Zion Church, Charles Town.

Sunday, 20th: Vsited St. John's Church, Harpers Ferry and preached.

DECEMBER.

Sunday, 6th: Read service and preached in Christ Church, Clarksburg, morning and evening.

Monday, 7th: Was called to Piedmont to advise about the work.

Sunday, 20th: Preached in the Presbyterian Church, Charles Town, at the request of their Church officers.

Sunday, 27th: Visited Emmanuel Church, Cumberland, for the Bishop of Maryland; preached and confirmed twenty-one.

Tuesday, 22nd: Officiated at a funeral in the Presbyterian Church, Charles Town.

JANUARY.

Friday, 1st: Officiated at a funeral in Zion Church, Charles Town. A. M. Officiated in Zion Church, Charles Town.

Sunday, 3rd: Took part in the service in Zion Church, Charles Town.

Sunday, 10th: A. M. Visited St. Luke's Church, Wheeling; preached and confirmed four. P. M. Preached at St. Matthew's Church, Wheeling.

Monday, 11th: Conference with Bishop Peterkin in Wheeling.

Tuesday, 12th: Attended meeting of the Northwestern Convocation in St. Paul's Church, Sistersville and confirmed two.

Wednesday, 13th: A. M. Celebrated the Holy Communion in St. Paul's Church, Sistersville. P. M. Made an address to the Convocation.

Friday, 15th: Visited Parkersburg.

Monday, 18th: Addressed the Woman's Auxiliary, Charles Town.

Thursday, 21st: Made an address to the Brotherhood of St. Andrew in St. John's Church, Pittsburg.

FEBRUARY.

Wednesday, 3rd: Attended a meeting of the Kanawha Convocation held in the Church of the Incarnation, Ronceverte. Conducted the Quiet Hour. At the morning service celebrated the Holy Communion.

Thursday, 4th: Church of the Incarnation, Ronceverte.

Sunday, 7th: Preached in Zion Church, Charles Town.

Sunday, 14th: A. M. Visited Trinity Church, Shepherdstown, and preached. P. M. Church of the Good Shepherd, Duffields; preached.

Monday, 15th: In Zion Church, Charles Town, officiated at the marriage of Archdeacon Matthews of Ohio and Miss Collins.

Wednesday, 17th: In Christ Church, Washington, D. C., preached the sermon to the Brotherhood of St. Andrew.

Sunday, 21st: Preached in Holy Trinity Church, Richmond, morning and evening.

Sunday, 28th: Morning and evening assisted in the service in Zion Church, Charles Town.

MARCH.

Sunday, 6th: Preached, morning, and evening, in Holy Trinity Church, Richmond, Va.

Wednesday, 9th: Preached in Holy Trinity Church, Richmond, Va.

Sunday, 13th: Preached morning and evening, at Trinity Church, Morgantown and at the evening service confirmed five.

Monday, 14th: Met the Vestry of Trinity Church, Morgantown.

Friday, 18th: P. M. Preached in St. Luke's Church, Wheeling.

Saturday, 19th: Visited Reynolds Memorial Hospital.

Sunday, 20th: Preached in St. Paul's Church, Elm Grove, Wheeling and confirmed seven. P. M. Preached in St. Andrew's Church, Wheeling.

Tuesday, 22nd: Visited the State Prison at Moundsville.

8 P. M. Visited Trinity Church, Moundsville; preached and confirmed one.

Wednesday, 23rd: A. M. Visited New Martinsville. P. M. Visited Spillman Chapel, Spillman, and confirmed three.

Thursday, 24th: Visited Christ Church, Point Pleasant; preached and confirmed four.

Friday, 25th: Visited Trinity Church, Huntington; preached.

Saturday, 26th: Visited Parkersburg to confer with Bishop Peterkin.

Sunday, 27th: Visited St. Matthias Church, Grafton; prached and confirmed four. 3 P. M. Made an address to the Y. M. C. A. in Grafton, 7 P. M. Visited the Boys' Reform School and preached.

APRIL.

Sunday, 3rd. Visited Trinity Church, Martinsburg; preached and confirmed thirty. P. M. Confirmed one sick person in private. P. M. Made an address to the Sunday School in Martinsburg. 7:30 P. M. Preached in Mt. Zion Church, Hedgesville.

10th, Sunday: Preached in St. John's Church, Charleston, and confirmed twelve. 3 P. M. Preached in St. Matthew's Church, Charleston, and confirmed three. 8 P. M. Preached in St. Luke's Church, Charleston, and confirmed four.

Monday, 11th: Visited St. Mark's Church, St. Albans; preached and confirmed two.

Tuesday, 12th: Confirmed in St. John's Church, Charleston, one. P. M. Preached in the Church at Mt. Carbon.

Wednesday, 13th: Visited St. David's Church, Powellton; preached and confirmed seven.

Thursday, 14th: Preached in the Church of the Redeemer, Ansted, and confirmed three.

Friday, 15th: Visited Calvary Church, Montgomery, and confirmed one.

Sunday, 17th: A. M. Preached in Trinity Church, Parkersburg, and confirmed nineteen. Made an address to the Sunday School. 7:30 P. M. Preached in the Chapel of the Good Shepherd, Parkersburg, and confirmed three.

Friday, 22nd: Met with the teachers of St. Andrew's on the Mountain.

Sunday, 24th: A. M. Preached in Zion Church, Charles Town. P. M. Visited Fairview Mission and preached. This is the first time an Episcopal service has been held at this point.

25th, 26th, 27th and 28th: I attended a meeting of the Eastern Convocation at Moorefield, and on Wednesday, the 27th, celebrated the Holy Communion.

28th, Thursday: Preached the closing sermon of the Convocation.

MAY.

Sunday, 1st: A. M. Took part in the service in Zion Church, Charles Town. P. M. With Rev. David Howard of Wheeling, visited Trinity Church, Shepherdstown.

Sunday, 8th: Visited Holy Trinity Church, Bramwell; preached and confirmed one. P. M. Preached in Christ Church, Bluefield, and confirmed two.

Monday, 9th: Visited the Church of the Heavenly Rest, Princeton and preached.

Wednesday, 11th: Visited Grace Church, Eckman; preached and confirmed one.

Thursday, 12th: Visited Welch and preached in the Presbyterian Church.

Friday, 13th: Visited Williamson and preached in the Presbyterian Church and confirmed three.

Sunday, 15th: Made an address to the Sunday School in Trinity Church, Huntington. Preached at the 11 o'clock service. 3:30 P. M. Preached in Grace Church, Kenova, and confirmed two. 8 P. M. Preached in Trinity Church, Huntington, and confirmed eleven.

Tuesday, 17th: Preached in the Presbyterian Church at Nuttall and confirmed three.

Wednesdey, 18th: Visited Dundon, Clay County; preached in the school house. This is the first time this point has been visited.

Thursday, 19th. Preached in the Baptist Church at Pratt.

Friday, 20th: Preached in the school house at Paint Creek.

Saturday, 21st. Visited Sheltering Arms Hospital.

Sunday, 22nd: A. M. Visited Wake Forrest, Cabin Creek, and preached in the school house. P. M. Visited Carbon; preached in the school house and confirmed two.

Tuesday, 23rd. Was spent in looking over the new territory along Cabin Creek and I find a splendid field for our work.

Tuesday, 24th: I attended the annual meeting of the Board of Trustees of the Sheltering Arms Hospital.

Wednesday: Officiated in Zion Church, Charles Town, at the marriage of Edward Esten Cooke and Hannah Alexander.

Sunday, 29th: Officiated in Zion Church, Charles Town, during absence of the Rector. Preached and celebrated the Holy Communion. P. M. Visited a sick person and celebrated the Holy Communion. 7 P. M. Officiatd in Zion Church, Charles Town.

SUMMARY.

Baptisms	1
Confirmations	175
Marriages	4
Burials	4
Visits made	97
Sermons	120
Addresses	57
Churches Consecrated	2
New Points Visited	7
Ordination to Priesthood	4

Moneys Received:—

Cash,from Woman's Auxiliary, Charles Town	$100.00
Check from St. John's Church, Charleston	6.00
Cash from Dundon	3.00
Cash from Pratt	1.05
Cash from Paint Creek	1.02
Cash from Wake Forrest	4.33
Cash from Carbon	11.66
Total	$127.06
St. Paul's Elm Grove	3.00
	$130.00

Amount paid out:—

Grants in Kanawha Convocation	$ 66.00
Three grants for education	42.00
One grant in Northwestern Convocation	12.00
Total	$120.00
Balance	$ 7.06
	3.00
	$ 10.06

On motion, the Council adjourned.

THURSDAY, JUNE 2, 1904, 9:30 A. M.

The Bishop Coadjutor called the Council to order.

Prayer by Rev. D. W. Howard.

Minutes of the previous day read and approved.

The Rev. Dr. Moore made this report and the Committee was continued.

The Special Committee on the General Clergy Relief Fund reports progress and asks to be continued.

S. SCOLLAY MOORE,
Chairman.

The Special Committee to which was referred the communication from the Diocese of California, submitted this report which was received and the appended resolution adopted:

To the 27th Annual Council of the Diocese of West Virginia:

The Special Committee to whom was referred the communication from the Diocese of California informing this Council of its having petitioned the General Convention of 1904 to permit the use of the Revised Version in the lessons in Morning and Evening Prayer, respectfully report:

Inasmuch as by authorizing the use in the lessons of Morning and Evening Prayer of "The Marginal Readings Bible" the General Convention has recognized the wisdom of giving our people who hear the word of God in the public services of the Church the light that has come to us upon the meaning of the original from the labors of the more recent devout and learned translators; and inasmuch as both by some of the English Bishops, and the action of some of our Bishops and Dioceses, the use of the Canterbury Version, in one or other of its editions, as tending to promote a fuller understanding of the revelation of God and his truth, is being urged, it is the opinion of your committee that the clergy and

people of the Protestant Episcopal Church in the United States ought to have the liberty to read such version in the public services of the Church in the parts specified, viz: the lessons of Morning and Evening Prayer. And, as the petition of the Diocese of California is that such permissive use be granted, your committee feel that it will be altogether fitting that the Diocese of West Virginia should be one of those to support the granting of such petition in General Convention in 1904.

Your committee therefore recommends the passage of the following:

Resolved, That the Deputies of this Diocese in the General Convention of 1904 be informed that the sentiment of the Church in West Virginia favors granting the permissive use of the Revised Version in reading the lessons in public worship; and that, when the matter comes to vote in General Convention, if the light then thrown upon the subject by debate and conference makes it appear wise to grant such permission, if they can support California in her petition they will be acting agreeably to the sense of their constituency.

JNO. S. GIBSON.
C. E. A. MARSHALL.
JNO. S. ALFRIEND.
G. A. ASCHMAN.

The report of the Executive Committee of the Diocesan Missions Committee submitted this report, which was made the order of the day for Friday, 10 A. M.:

The Executive Committee of the Diocesan Missionary Society submits the following report of its work for the past year:

The report of the Treasurer shows the receipts of the Society from all sources to have been $3,187.27, which is less than those of last year by nearly $150. Expenditures during the year have been $3,937.48, or $750 in excess of receipts. This large expenditure was justified by the fact that we entered the year with a considerable balance in the treasury and was due to an increase in the stipends of the men in the field, which your Committee deemed it wise, if not necessary, to make, in order that the work might be maintained and the men supported.

With this sum 27 men and one woman, working in all sections of the Diocese, have been aided—the average stipend being about $137. Five of these have now removed from the Diocese and the vacancies thus caused remain as yet unfilled. The balance in the treasury at the close of the present year is $1,127.97, which will enable us, with receipts upon the basis of the present assessment and of the experience of recent years, to meet the obligations of the coming year, but will leave us with practically no means to meet stipends falling due almost immediately after its close. We need, therefore, large increase in our receipts for the maintenance of our present work. In making our forecast we desire that the Diocese

shall know exactly what the situation is—our resources and the demands of the work.

It seems impossible for us to follow rigid rules in administering this fund, but we are guided by certain general principles. We aim to give every missionary a house and $800 a year. We are still far short of this. Would need more than $3,000 additional each year to enable us to reach it. But we have made distinct advance in the past two years and have now brought the average up to about 700, subject, however, to some deduction for travelling expenses, which some of the men must pay.

For the maintenance of this standard we need $4,030 each year, which, with $1,200 from the General Board, $650 from the American Church Missionary Society and $975 from Convocational and special funds, will give us a total Missionary Fund of $6,855. This amount we propose to distribute in the manner shown in the following tables, which with the memoranda annexed, have been prepared by the Bishop for the use of the Council.

MEMORANDUM AND SCHEDULE TO ACCOMPANY REPORT OF THE DIOCESAN MISSIONS COMMITTEE TO THE COUNCIL IN MARTINSBURG, JUNE 1, 1904.

EASTERN CONVOCATION	Rectory	SALARY FUND						
		Field	Diocese	Convocation, Etc., Etc.	General Board	Amer. Ch. Miss. Society	Total Missionary	Total Salary
Romney, Moorefield, Okonoko, Paw Paw	R	$ 300	$ 250	$ 50	.....	$ 200	$ 500	$ 800
Berkeley Springs	R	300	100	.....	$ 100	.....	200	500
St. Philips, Charles Town	R	100	....	50	400	....	450	550
Middleway, Leetown, Summit Point	R	550	50	100	.....	100	250	800
Ripon, (served from Virginia)	R	100	100	.....	....	.....	100	200
Harpers Ferry, Hedgeville	R	325	300	75	.....	.....	375	700
Keyser, (served from Maryland)	....	50	50	.....	....	.....	50	100
Specials	....	....	.....	150	.....	.....	150	150
		$ 1725	$ 850	$ 425	$ 500	$ 300	$ 2075	$ 3800

NORTHWESTERN CONVOCATION	Rectory	SALARY FUND						
		Field	Diocese	Convocation, Etc., Etc.	General Board	Amer. Ch. Miss. Society	Total Missionary	Total Salary
Wellsburg, St, John's, Brooke Co.....	R	$ 510	$ 240	.....	....	.....	$ 240	$ 750
Williamstown, Good Shepherk (P.) Tavennersville.....	R	600	200	.....	.....	.....	200	800
New Martinsville.....	R	700	....	.....	$ 100	.....	100	800
St. Marys, Willow Island, Waverly, Ravenswood, Ripley, Mason, Leroy.	R	530	170	.....	.....	.....	170	700
Buckhannon, Spruce...	.....	300	200	$ 100	....	.....	300	600
Elm Grove, Chester, New Cumberland.	R	600	200	.....	.....	.....	200	800
*Mannington	....	240	500	100	100	.....	700	940
Grafton, Cairo, Pennsboro	R	450	300	.....	.....	.....	300	750
Davis, Bogard, Parsons.....	R	550	.....	.....	200	.....	200	750
Elkins, Belington..	R	300	400	... ..	... .	.. ...	400	700
Specials.....	.....	.....	50	...	... ..	.....	50	50
		$ 4780	$ 2260	$ 200	$ 400	.....	$ 2860	$ 7640

*The sum of $240 has to be paid for rent.

KANAWHA CONVOCATION	Rectory	SALARY FUND						
		Field	Diocese	Convocation, Etc., Etc.	General Board	Amer. Ch. Miss. Society	Total Missionary	Total Salary
Bluefield, Princeton	R	$ 550	$ 150	. . .	$ 100	.....	$ 250	$ 800
Ronceverte, Lewisburg, Fort Spring, White Sulphur, Pocahontas Co.	.....	600	200	.....	.....	.....	200	800
Union, Alderson	R	450	100	.....	200	.....	300	750
Point Pleasant, Spilman, Bruce Chapel.	R	550	50	...	.....	150	200	750
Hinton, Glen Jean, Beckley	R	600	. . .	.....	.....	200	200	800
St. Luke's, Charleston, St. Matthews, Charleston, St. Albans	R	680	120	.....	.....	.....	120	800
Cabin Creek, Pratt, Clay Court House.	.....	.....	300	.....	.....	.....	300	800
Specials	.....	.....	.....	$ 350	.....	.....	350	350
		$ 3930	$ 920	$ 350	$ 300	$ 350	$ 1920	$ 5850
The Whole Mission Field	....	$10435	$ 4030	$ 975	$ 1200	$ 650	$ 6855	$ 17290

In addition to the above the women of the Diocese, by special effort, support a woman Missionary at the Sheltering Arms Hospital, who works there and at adjoining points.

It will be perceived that the above schedule leaves St. Philips, Charles Town, with $550 salary—St. Marks, Berkeley Springs, with $500 and Buckhannon and Spruce with $600, but no rectory; these are the smallest salaries. Taking into the account certain special cases indicated above, and allowing for the rent of five houses for rectories and for necessary travelling expenses, it is considered fair to estimate the average salary, in money on the above list at $675.

It will also be perceived that for the present at least, Ravenswood Parish with four churches is put with St. Mary's, etc. And it will appear later that it has seemed best also to continue Welch and its dependencies, as attached to Bramwell, to provide for these properly, and to increase the small salaries mentioned above, up to the average, would require about $1,500 additional. But as the $4,030 scheduled above as appropriated for the coming year, is $1,089 over our assessment, the Committee did not venture to make further appropriation. We expect to get through this year with the help of the balance of about $1,000 now on hand, but we earnestly ask for $4,000 for the coming year.

It must be understood that beside the 61 places mentioned above as principal points, there are about 30 that are regularly reached by our Missionaries.

So far we have been dealing only with the Missions, but to get a more complete view of the work of the Diocese, I give below a list of our self supporting charges. Eighteen in all, viz.:

Charles Town, Zion Church; Blue Ridge, St. Andrews.
Weston, Middle Run.
Wheeling, St. Lukes.
Wheeling, St. Matthews.
Moundsville.
Powellton, Ansted, Montgomery, Mt. Carbon.
Wheeling, St. Andrews.
Martinsburg, Bunker Hill.
Morgantown.
Sistersville.
Shepherdstown, Duffields.
Huntington, Kenova, Williamson.
Parkersburg, Trinity; Parkersburg, St. Stephen.
Fairmont.
Charleston, St. John.
Clarksburg, North View.
Sutton, Little Otter, Centralia, Richwood.
*Bramwell, Eckman, Welch, Elkhorn, Maybeury, etc.

Beside the 31 places mentioned in this list there are about 20 that are regularly reached by the clergy in charge. And besides the 142 places mentioned in both lists, there are about 50 which the Bishops and Clergy visit from time to time as opportunity offers.

To recapitulate, it appears that in the whole Diocese there are really 26 missionary charges or circuits, though two of them are temporarily connected with others.

Properly to care for these points we need $5,500, but in default of that we have ventured to make appropriations only to the extent of $4,030, this sum with $2,825 from other sources gives us all told a Missionary fund of $6,855 and this added to the $10,435 raised by the Missions for their own support enables us to provide Rectories, pay necessary traveling expenses, and give an average salary of about $675 in money.

These Missions have about 1,550 communicants and are expected to contribute to our Diocesna Mission work $700 a year.

Back of this work and supporting it, are the 18 self suporting charges which with 3,125 communicants are expected to contribute to our Diocesan Mission work the sum of $2,250 a year. As a help to the understanding of

*This is really two charges combined into one temporarily.

their financial ability it appears from the Journal that they raise a salary fund of $19,645 which after making certain deductions for house rent and traveling expenses affords an average salary of $1,040 a year.

This then is the situation as far as it can here be stated. For this work which is full of encourgement we want $4,000 for the coming year. Our last Journal reported 8,000 baptized persons in the Diocese. An average conhribution of one cent a week from all these, would give us more than the amount asked. What will you do about it?

Your Committee has but two suggestions to make, which it will put into the form of questions.

1. Are there not places in the Diocese, able and willing to assume a larger measure of obligation for this work than that imposed by the report of the Committee on Assessments? One dollar for each communicant—less than two cents a week—would seem no heavy burden to assume for work so necessary to be done. Will not each parish and mission assessed at less than this aim to bring its contribution up to this figure at least?

2. Are there not individuals in the Diocese who in response to personal appeals from their rectors can be induced to supplement the contributions from the parishes and missions by some individual gifts, either occasional or stated?

The election of Deputies to the General Convention was made the order of the day for 4 P. M. to-day.

The Rev. J. F. Plummer cordially invited the next Council to meet at Clarksburg, and on motion of the Rev Dr. Moore, the invitation was unanimously accepted.

On motion, the following Committee on Constitution and Canons was elected:

Rev. Jno S. Gibson.
Rev. D. W. Howard.
Rev. J. S. Douglas.
Mr. Joseph Trapnell.
Mr. W. S. Laidley.

On motion, the Standing Committee was elected as follows; Tellers, Rev. A. G. Grinnan and Rev. E. H. Brosius:

Rev. G. A. Gibbons.
Rev. J. S. Douglas.
Rev. A. J. Willis.
Mr. J. Gassman.
Mr. J. H. Strider.
Judge Frank Beckwith.

The Treasurer of the Episcopal and Contingent Funds submitted his report, which was referred to the Finance Committee. (See Appendix A.)

The Rev. Dr. Moore, presented the report of the Trustees of the Permanent Fund, which was referred to the Committee on Permanent Fund.

The Rev. John S. Gibson for the Committee on Constitution and Canons, submitted the following report upon the recodification of the Constitution and Canons of the Diocese. On motion, it was made the order of the day for 2:30 P. M. Friday.

To the 27th Annual Council of the Diocese of West Virginia:

The Committee on Constitution and Canons were requested to report to this Council a recodification of the Constitution and Canons of the Diocese and to embody therein such amendments and alterations as might seem desirable. Your Committee have performed that duty to the best of their ability, acting on such suggestions and proposals of amendment as came to them from time to time, and present the result in the printed leaflet hereto attached. This leaflet was printed to contain such Canons as have been changed or added, but does not contain those which remain as they were, nor a few which need only to be rearranged or slightly modified in their language.

Your Committee recommend the adoption of the following:

Resolved, That the Constitution and Canons of the Diocese of West Virginia as presented by the Committee on Constitution and Canons be substituted for those now in force.

JNO. S. GIBSON.
JOHN S. DOUGLAS.
DAVID W. HOWARD.
JOSEPH TRAPNELL.

Council took a recess for Divine service.

THURSDAY, 2:30 P. M.

The Council was called to order by the Bishop.

Mr. W. D. Alvord was invited to address the Council upon the subject of the Anti-Saloon League of the United States, which he did in a very interesting manner.

The Rev. A. J. Willis offered the following, which was adopted:

Resolved, That the Council instructs the Committee on Assessments to assess the parishes and not the individual churches, the names of the churches being put in brackets opposite the name of the parish.

The Rev. A. M. Lewis moved that the third page of the Journal be left blank.

The motion was laid on the table.

The Rev. W. P. Chrisman presented this report from the Committee on Sunday schools.

For the first resolution appended, this substitute was adopted:

Resolved, That the Committee on Sunday Schools appoint one clergyman and one layman from each of the convocations of the Diocese to assist in the work.

The second resolution appended was laid on the table.

Your Committee on Sunday Schools beg to submit the following report:

The number of schools in the Diocese, 58; teachers, 373; scholars, 3,078; total 3,451. The Advent Offering of 31 schools was $453.47, which is the largest Advent Offering ever made by the Sunday schools. Nevertheless we would call your attention to the fact that 27 schools failed to send any offering to Diocesan Missions. Two years ago the same number were delinquent. We would therefore urge these schools to fall in line, and make an offering for Diocesan Missions, be it ever so small.

When we consider that the vast majority of scholars that attend our Sunday schools are members of Christ, the children of God, and inheritors of the Kingdom of Heaven by baptism, then we recognize that the Sunday school is part of the Church of Christ, and not an adjunct thereto. This being so it reminds us that in each congregation there are many mature Christians bound by the most solemn obligations so see that these children hear sermons that they "learn the creed, the Lord's Prayer, and the Ten Commandments, and all other things which a Christian ought to know and believe to his soul's health." This means that we cannot divorce one from the other without an injury to both. It recognizes the Sunday school as the department of instruction for the younger members of the flock, and not as a children's service that is to take the place of the regularly appointed order for morning and evening prayer. Here then your Committee would utter a warning against any system of instruction or service leaflets that leave the impression on the mind of scholars, teachers or parents that it is the children's service and therefore they are relieved from further attendance upon the regular services of the Church. Two years ago resolutions were adopted by the Council recommending the formation of teachers' training classes, more thorough Church teaching in the Sunday schools, and conferences for Sunday school workers. They were good and timely resolutions, but unless some way is devised for keeping them before the minds of those interested in the Sunday schools of the Diocese very little good will result from their adoption. The Committee on Sunday Schools as constituted at present is taken entirely from the Northwestern Convocation and this necessarily brings them in touch with a very limited number of our schools and con-

sequently our work and report is more or less of a local nature. In order to remedy this and bring this Committee in vital touch with every school in the Diocese we would earnestly and respectfully ask the adoption of the following resolutions:

1. That the Committee on Sunday Schools be composed of one clergyman and one layman from each of the Convocations of the Diocese.

2. That it shall be the duty of such members to visit or communicate with each school within the bounds of their Convocation at least once a year, to arrange for Sunday School Institutes, to compile such data as may be necessary for an accurate and thorough report to the Council, and otherwise to lead an active and aggressive work in their respective Convocations.

W. P. CHRISMAN.
C. C. PENICK.
G. A. ASCHMAN, *M. D.*

Mr. Peebles Tatum nominated Mr. Joseph Trapnell as Chancellor of the Diocese, vice the late Judge J. P. Rogers.

Mr. Trapnell was unanimously elected.

A motion was made to take up from the table the resolution relating to the third page of the Journal. It was lost.

On motion of the Rev. Dr. Roller, the Rules of Order were ordered to be printed with the new Constitution and Canons, when printed.

On motion of Bishop Gravatt the Rules of Order were ordered to be printed in the next Journal of Council.

The Rev. D. W. Howard nominated the following Missionary Committee of the Diocese. Adopted.

Rev. S. S. Moore, D. D.
Rev. J. Brittingham.
Rev. J. S. Alfriend.
Mr. B. M. Ambler.
Mr. Simms Powell.

Mr. Joseph Trapnell offered the following, which was adopted by a vote of 34 to 16.

Resolved, That the second resolution on the third page of the cover, be expunged from the Journal.

The hour having arrived the order of the day was taken up. The Bishop appointed as tellers for the clerical vote, the Rev. R. N. Meade and Mr. F. W. Truscott and for the lay vote, the Rev. J. T. Marley and Mr. James Grantham.

The following clergymen were then nominated for deputies to the General Convention:

The Rev. Jacob Brittingham, Rev. D. W. Howard, Rev. S. S. Moore, D. D., Rev. R. D. Roller, D. D., Rev. J. S. Gibson, Rev. J. S. Douglas, Rev. C. E. Shaw and the Rev. J. S. Alfriend.

The ballot was taken.

Nominations were then made for lay deputies to the General Convention as follows:

Mr. Joseph Trapnell, Dr. G. A. Aschman, B. M. Ambler, B. D. Spilman, J. Gassman, Gen'l W. P. Craighill, W. S. Laidley, C. L. Thompson and Geo. T. Kreglow.

The ballot was taken.

Pending the count of the ballots, Mr. G. W. Parsons, of Romney, was excused from further attendance upon the Council.

The report of the Standing Committee was presented by its President, the Rev. G. A. Gibbons, from May 22, 1903, to June 2, 1904, as follows:

Standing Committee report (From May 22, 1903, to June 2, 1904).

May 28th, 1903. Rev. Geo. C. Shaw (Deacon) having served ten to fifteen years in the Methodist ministry, asked to have the time of his candidacy for Priest's Orders shortened, and being so recommended by the Bishop of the Diocese, the Standing Committee consented to shortening his time one year and a half, and then recommended him to the Bishop for ordination to the Priesthood.

At the same time the Rev. Robert Nelson Meade (Deacon) was recommended for ordination to the Priesthood.

The Rev. Edwin B. Snead (Deacon) from St. John's Church, Richmond, Va., on account of his advanced age asked for a few months of shortened candidacy, and the Bishop so recommending, the Committee consented to shorten the time, and recommended Mr. Sneed for ordination to the Priesthood.

Sept. 1st, 1903. Consent was given to the consecration of the Rev. Edwin Stevens Lines, D. D., to be Bishop of the Diocese of Newark.

Sept. 15th, 1903. Richard W. Trapnell and Edmund P. Dandridge 2nd, were recommended as candidates for Holy Orders.

At the same meeting (Sept. 15, 1903) consent was given to the consecration of the Rev. Theodore DuBose Bratton, D. D., to be Bishop of the Diocese of Mississippi. The Committee also consented to the consecration of the Rev. M. Edward Fawcett, Ph. D., to be Bishop of the Diocese of Quincy.

Jan. 6th, 1904. The Standing Committee consented to the consecration of

the Rev. David Hummell Greer, D. D., to be Bishop Coadjutor of the Diocese of New York.

March 1st, 1904. The Rev. Cretus A. Dowell (Deacon) was recommended to the Bishop for ordination to the Priesthood.

May 13th, 1904. The Rev. Francis VanR. Moore (Deacon) was granted, at his own request and that of the Bishops, a few months of shortened time of candidacy for Priest's Orders, and said Mr. Moore was then recommended for ordination to the Priesthood. Also Mr. W. Howard Meyers asked for and was granted, on the Bishop's recommendation, a few months of shortened candidacy, and wes recommended to the Bishop for ordination to the Deaconate.

The Committee consented to the consecration of the Rev. Richard Henry Nelson to be Bishop Coadjutor of the Diecese of Albany.

Martinsburg, June 2, 1904. Mr. Charles Hely Molony, a Methodist minister, was recommended as a candidate for Holy Orders.

SUMMARY.

Number of meetings	7
Persons recommended as candidates for Holy Orders	3
Recommended for Diaconate	1
Recommended for the Priesthood	5
Consent given to stortening time of candidacy	3
Consented to consecration of Bishops	5

Respectfully submitted,

G. A. GIBBONS, *President.*
A. J. WILLIS.
JOHN S. DOUGLAS.
J. GASSMAN.

The tellers for the clerical vote, reported the following clerical deputies to the General Convention duly elected:

The Rev. S. S. Moore, D. D.
The Rev. R. D. Roller, D. D.
The Rev. D. W. Howard.
The Rev. J. S. Alfriend.

On motion the three persons receiving the next highest number of votes were declared to be alternates, to-wit:

The Rev. Jacob Brittingham.
The Rev. J. S. Douglas.
The Rev. J. S. Gibson.

And on motion the Rev. G. A. Gibbons was elected the fourth alternate.

The tellers for the lay vote then reported that three laymen had received a majority of all the votes cast, whereupon

Mr. Joseph Trapnell.
Mr. B. M. Ambler.
Dr. G. A. Aschman.

were declared elected lay deputies to the General Convention.

Another ballot was ordered for the remaining lay deputy.

The hour of adjournment having arrived a motion was made to continue in session. It was lost.

The Council then adjourned.

FRIDAY, June 3, 1904, 9:30 A. M.

The Council was called to order by the Bishop.

The Rev. G. W. Easter read prayers.

The minutes of yesterday were read and approved.

The tellers proceeded to take the ballot for the fourth lay deputy.

The Rev. A. M. Lewis presented the following report of the Committee on Parochial Reports. Recommendation was adopted.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON PAROCHIAL REPORTS.

BAPTISMS.		Confirmations.	Marriages.	Burials.	COMMUNICANTS.		Baptized Persons.	Families and Parts	NO. IN SUNDAY SCHOOLS	
Infants.	Adults.				Last Report'd	Present Number.			Teachers.	Scholars.
94	28	90	46	61	1411	1513	2451	1086	119	1102
74	29	79	49	85	1248	1322	2383	1005	95	826
74	24	81	59	84	1513	1468	2471	1486	137	989
5	5	10	5	10	378	378	556	301	22	161
247	86	260	159	240	4550	4681	7861	3878	373	3078

DISBURSEMENTS.				GRAND TOTAL.
	CONTRIBUTIONS.			
Current Expenses	Parochial	Diocesan.	Outside the Diocese.	
$12,996 15	$ 5,455 37	$ 3,400 55	$ 2,023 64	$23,875 71
15,845 95	5,446 59	3,746 32	1,818 23	26,857 09
12,566 49	5,698 07	7,081 27	1,854 10	27,199 93
2,452 54	95 61	356 01	221 34	3,125 50
$43,861 13	$16,695 64	$14,584 15	$ 5,917 31	$81,056 23

Committee on Parochial Reports respectfully recommends that the Secretary of the Diocese, after consultation with the Bishop and Dr. Moore, be authorized to make such corections in the financial report as in his judgment will tend to the greater clearness and accuracy of the true condition of this Diocese.

ARTHUR M. LEWIS.
GEO. J. ROGERS.
BEN R. ROLLER.
W. P. CHRISMAN.

The tellers reported the election of Mr. C. L. Thompson as the fourth lay deputy to the General Convention.

Ten o'clock having arrived, the special order of the day was taken up, and the Council went into the consideration of the report of the Diocesan Missionary Committee.

The Rev. J. S. Gibson offered the following:

Resolved, That the Missions Committee, in such manner as seems wise to them, endeavor to have the Mission stations now supported in part from the Diocesan Mission funds, increase the amounts they pay to the support of their missionaries by a sum aggregating $500.00

The Council took a recess for Divine service.

FRIDAY, 2:30 P. M.

The Bishop called the Council to order.

The resolution offered by the Committee on Constitution and Canons was taken up.

The Constitution proposed as a substitute for the present Constitution, as presented by the Committee, was unanimously adopted by a vote taken by orders.

The body of Canons was then taken up. Mr. Peebles Tatum moved the adoption of the unnumbered canon relating to an ecclesiastical court.

The Rev. Dr. Moore moved to postpone the consideration of the whole body of Canons until the next Council. Adopted.

The Committee on Assessments presented their report, which was adopted. (See Appendix.)

The Rev. J. S. Gibson offered this resolution which was adopted:

Resolved, That the apportionment for General Missions be apportioned

to our parishes in the same sums as those for which they are assessed for Diocesan Missions.

The Rev. A. J. Grinnan moved that the Council receive the report of the Committee on Parochial Reports. Adopted.

The Rev. G. W. Easter submitted the following report of the Committee on Education:

The resolution appended was adopted.

The Committee on Religious and Theological Education desires to call the attention of the clergy and laity of the Diocese to two matters.

1st. That by one of the Canons of the Church, it is made obligatory that at least one collection for religious and theological education shall be made in each congregation each year. It is a fact that this requirement is not complied with in many cases and in consequence the funds available for Religious and Theological Education are not commensurate with the needs and ability of the Diocese.

2nd. This Diocese has five young men preparing for the ministry at the Theological Seminary of Virginia, which is also the Seminary of this Diocese, towards whose support we contributed last year, ending April 30, 1904, $300, which is less than one-half the necessary amount. The deficiency was supplied by the Education Society of the Diocese of Virginia. We ought not to be willing thus to depend upon a sister Diocese to supply a lack which is clearly due, in large part at least, to the failure to tell our people the purpose and needs of the fund and to give them an opportunity to contribute to it. One-ninth of all the students at the Seminary are our own men and we give less than half the amount necessary for their support.

The Committee, therefore, offers the following resolution:

Resolved, That the clergy of the Diocese are hereby urged to set before all their people the purposes and needs of the fund for Religious and Theological Education and to make at least one collection for it annually as required by Canon upon some Sunday when there is likely to be a full attendance at service.

Respectfully submitted.

GEO. W. EASTER.
J. HOWARD GIBBONS.
ARTHUR M. LEWIS.
C. L. THOMPSON.
W. G. HUBBARD.

The Rev. Dr. Moore offered this resolution, seconded by the Rev. J. S. Gibson, which was adopted:

Resolved, That this Council commends to the American Church Mission-

ary Society the importance of continuing its interest in, and support of, its domestic work, and that the Secretary be instructed to communicate to the Secretary of that Society this resolution

The Rev. Dr. Moore submitted the report of the Committee on the Permanent and Episcopal Funds.

The resolution appended was adopted.

The Committee on the Permanent and Episcopal Funds respectfully reports that we have examined with care the reports of the trustees of the Permanent Fund and of the Treasurer of the Episcopal Fund.

We find the Permanent Fund to be capitalized now at $35,919.62, which is held by the Central Banking and Security Co., of Parkersburg, Treasurer, and is represented by the following items, viz:

Bonds, pledges, notes, etc	$33,618 00
Cash to credit of trustees	1,913 56
Balance on two pledges in hands of trustees	250 00
Interest account overpaid	138 06
Total	$35,919 62

The Trustees have paid out $138.06 more than their receipts on account of interest, but this, we are informed, is an apparent, rather than an actual overpayment and will be corrected by the return of this sum to the principal during the coming year.

Comparing this report with that of last year (Journal, 1903, p. 94), it will be seen that there has been a slight increase of the fund, the capital being now about $285.00 in excess of the sum reported then.

With reference to the Episcopal Fund, the Treasurer's report shows payments on acount of the assessments amounting to $3,277.33, which is $352.69 less than the amount assessed. The bulk of this deficit comes from the failure of 29 points, upon which assessments have been laid, out of a total of 79 such points, to make any payment at all during the year These are among the weak Mission points in the Diocese, for the most part, their aggregate assessment for this Fund being only $212. There have been, however, payments from various points on account of arrearages aggregating $397.93, and small contributions amounting to $28.68 from places unassessed, which have brought contributions to the Fund to a total of $3,703.94, which, with the interest upon the invested Permanent Fund paid to the Treasurer by the Trustees, has enabled him to pay all salaries, meet all contingent expenses and close the year with a balance of $566.82 in the Treasury.

Your Committee would especially commend the care and accuracy displayed by the custodians of these two Funds in managing their trusts and presenting to the Council their reports.

We would also urge again the importance of renewed and constant

efforts to increase the Permanent Fund to the sum, at least, hitherto aimed at, viz.: $50.000.

To this end we would call attention to the Canonical requirement of an annual offering from every congregation in the Diocese for this Fund and would offer the following resolution:

Resolved, That this Council commends to ministers in charge of our congregations the needs of this Fund and requests that on or about Ascension Day in each year an offering for this purpose shall be taken.

Mr. Joseph Trapnell made report for the Finance Committee.

The report and recommendations were adopted.

The undersigned Finance Committee report that they have examined and audited the accounts of the Trustees of the Permanent Fund, the Treasurer of the Diocese and the Trustee of the Episcopal and Contingent Funds.

The balance in the hands of the Treasurer of the several funds are as follows:

Permanent Fund as of May 18, 1904:

Securities	$33,018 00
Cash	1,913 56
Total	$35,531 56
Treasurer of Diocese, June 1, 1904.	
Diocesan Missions	$ 1,127 97
Religious and Theological Education	14 03
Widows and Orphans	5,898 15
Episcopal and Contingent Fund.	
Balance June 1, 1904	$ 566 82

The detailed statements accompany this report and should be printed as appendices to the Journal.

The disbursements charged are sustained by proper vouchers.

The Committee recommend the adoption of the following resolution:

Resolved, That the treasurer of the Contingent Fund be instructed to pay out of the funds coming to his hands the annual rent of the residence now occupied by the Bishop Coadjutor until the further order of the Council and that the said treasurer do pay to the sexton of the church of Martinsburg ten dollars for his services during this Council.

R. M. BROWNE, *Chairman.*
HULLIHEN QUARRIER.
JOSEPH TRAPNELL.
B. D. SPILMAN.
RICHARD HENDERSON.
Committee.

The Rev. J. S. Gibson offered the following resolution, which was adopted:

Resolved, That the trustees of the Permanent Fund be informed that the Council desires that contributions made annually to the Permanent Fund be invested and not treated as uninvested funds.

Mr. C. H. Scott offered this resolution:

Resolved, That this Council calls the attention of the members of this church to the action of the House of Bishops, respecting worldliness, and solemnly urges on them the duty of observing the rule of sobriety and moderation in all things; of maintaining strictly their own personal purity and integrity; and of vigorously discountenancing and wholly abstaining from participation in all forms, customs, and habits of business and pleasure that are immoral, indecent, and at variance with the spirit of Christ as revealed in His Holy Gospel.

Resolved, That the secretary of the Council be instructed to print the foregoing resolution in place of the resolution on the third page of the cover of the proceedings of the Council, prefacing it with the words: Resolution adopted at the session of the Council in Martinsburg, June 1-6, 1904.

The Rev. J. S. Gibson offered the following substitute, which was adopted:

Resolved, That the secretary of the Diocese have the Council Journal of 1904 bound in paper and printed only with the proper title and the list of places and dates of the meetings of future Councils.

The Rev. D. W. Howard submitted the report of the Committee on the State of the Church as follows:

REPORT.

Your Committee on the State of the Church begs leave to report:

The conditions of the work throughout the Diocese show a decided and steady growth. This fact we gather from several sources, and we believe, is brought about by the earnest and untiring labors of our Bishops, together with the clergy and laity working under their direction. The children of the Diocese should be commended for their zeal in the cause of Missions, both Diocesan and general, which augurs well for the future, when they shall take the place of the present generation in our parishes and missions.

This year a larger number of confirmations is reported than ever before,

and from information gathered, we know of many of these candidates having been prepared and presented to the rector for the laying on of hands by our faithful body of Sunday school teachers.

During the past year, seven new points have been visited by the Bishops, and work commenced; and several mission points have been greatly strengthened, and are now, or will soon be, entirely self-supporting.

Another source of encouragement is the progress made in the woman's work throughout the Diocese. The increased interest in the Woman's Auxiliary, and the Junior Auxiliary to the Board of Missions, together with the excellent work accomplished by our deaconess and three women workers, cannot fail to bring splendid results in our Diocesan work.

With regard to the communication presented to this Council, and referred to your Committee, respecting the International Congress on Sunday Rest, we recommend that this Council express its sympathy with the object this communication has in view.

Having gathered from the statistics relative to work accomplished during the past year, the knowledge of a considerable growth in our Diocesan work, we earnestly trust that the current year may bring forth still greater fruitfulness.

Respectfully submitted,

DAVID W. HOWARD.
GEO. W. EASTER.
A. G. GRINNAN.
W. E. WATSON.
W. G. HUBBARD.
Parsons.

The Rt. Rev. Dr. Penick, the Rev. G. W. Easter, the Rev. J. T. Marley and Mr. C. L. Thompson were excused from further attendance upon the Council.

The Council adjourned.

SATURDAY, June 4, 9:30 A. M.

The Council was called to order by the Bishop. Prayers by the Rev. Thos. J. Oliver Curran.

Minutes of yesterday read and approved.

On motion a ballot was taken for alternate lay deputies to the General Convention.

The Rev. Dr. Roller, for Committee on Unfinished Business, reported that the Committees on Sunday School and Education had not been elected.

Many nominations for members of the Sunday School Committee were made. A ballot was taken which resulted in the election of the

Rev. W. P. Chrisman, Rev. C. E. Shaw, Dr. G. A. Aschman, Mr. George Rogers

The Committee on Education was elected as follows:

Rev. G. W. Easter, Rev. J. Howard Gibbons, Rev. A. M. Lewis, Mr. W. G. Hubbard, Mr. C. L. Thompson.

The Rev. John S. Douglas offered the following, which was adopted:

Resolved, That the secretary be requested to notify the rector of the parish in which the Council is to meet that he is expected to make arrangements with the railroad companies for special rates to Council and also to name the roads over which the delegates will travel and the number likely to come on their road, and also of any other duties he is expected to perform.

The tellers for election of alternate lay deputies reported the following as having been elected:

Mr. Peebles Tatum, Judge Frank Beckwith, Mr. W. S. Laidley, Mr. B. D. Spilman.

The old Diocesan Committee on Foreign and Domestic Missions was elected as follows:

Rev. D. W. Howard, Rev. G. A. Gibbons, Rev. J. S. Gibson, General W. P. Craighill, Mr. C. C. Coe, Dr. G. A. Aschman.

The Secretary was requested to notify the international Committee on Sunday Rest of our sympathy with its objects as expressed in the recommendation of the Committee on the State of the Church.

The Rev. D. W. Howard addressed the Council on the importance of supporting and circulating the Church News.

The Rev. Dr. Moore offered this resolution of thanks which was unanimously adopted:

Resolved, That we, the members of the 27th Annual Council of the Diecese of West Virginia, assembled in Trinity Church, Martinsburg, do hereby express our thanks to the rector and vestry of this church for the admirable provision made by them for the entertainment and comfort of the Council and for the manner in which local difficulties, incident to the present session have been overcome; to the choir of this church for faith-

ful and efficient aid rendered in the services of the Council; to the pages for the courteous and capable manner of the discharge of their duties; to the ladies of this congregation for their gracious presence and graceful hospitality, which have made our labors lighter and the hours of our stay brighter by the beauty and fragrance, which they have shed upon our proceedings; to the transportation companies for favors extended; to the pastors and official boards of other churches for courtesies shown; to the press and to the people of this community, generally, who, with full and free hospitality, have opened hand and heart and home to guests, who carry with them, as they depart, grateful memories of pleasant days.

The Rev. Dr. Moore offered this resolution which was unanimously adopted:

Resolved, That the thanks of the Council are hereby extended to the Committee on Constitution and Canons for the careful and admirable manner in which the work of revision committed to them has been done.

Resolved, That the Committee on Constitution and Canons is hereby empowered to present to this Council at its next session a further report of revision under the terms of the original reference.

On motion, after reading and approving the minutes of this day, and suitable devotions by the Bishop, the Council adjourned sine die.

G. W. PETERKIN,
President.

ROBT. DOUGLAS ROLLER,
Secretary.

APPENDIX A.

I. Report of the Treasurer of the Diocese.

II. Report of the Trustees of the Episcopal and Contingent Fund.

III. Report of the Trustees of the Permanent Fund.

TREASURER'S REPORT.

Amount of Assessment Diocesan Mis'ns.	NAME.	Paid for Diocesan Missions.	Paid Religious and Theological Education.	Widows, Orphans and Disabl'd Clergy Fund.
$ 6	Alderson	$ 4 46	$	$
20	Ansted	20 00		7 50
	Bayard			
5	Beury			
6	Beckley	1 45		
25	Berkeley Springs	25 82		
30	Bluefield	37 85		
30	Bramwell	45 00		21 25
5	Brooke County	7 65		
12	Bruce Chapel	15 25		
10	Buckhannon	10 00		5 00
5	Bunker Hill	1 15		
300	Charles Town, Zion	300 00	44 13	41 65
10	" St. Phillip's			
200	Charleston, St. John's	200 00	6 28	25 50
8	" St. Luke's			
8	" St. Matthews	5 72		
125	Clarksburg Church	39 25	9 25	4 26
	" St. Thomas			
5	Cresaps	5 00		
8	Davis	8 00		
5	Dubree	3 31		
20	Eckman	20 00		
10	Elkins	10 00	2 00	3 25
75	Fairmont	76 12		
5	Fort Spring			
10	Glen Jean			
15	Grafton	6 23		
20	Harper's Ferry	32 31	1 60	7 85
	Hartford	2 00		
25	Hedgesville	25 00		
30	Hinton	13 45		
75	Huntington	95 00	5 00	25 00
8	Kenova	8 18		3 20
	Keyser	5 50		
30	Lee Town	31 42		4 00
7	Lewisburg			
	Little Otter			
3	Liverpool			
5	Madison			
	Mannington	3 30	1 60	1 65
75	Martinsburg	120 27	7 61	33 71
	Mason	3 00		
15	Middleway	15 00		2 77
5	Mt. Carbon	5 00		
15	Montgomery	20 20		3 50
20	Moorefield	20 00	1 65	1 85
25	Morgantown	35 50	1 48	5 15
40	Moundsville	46 08	1 50	16 35
	New Cumberland			
40	New Martinsville	43 61	4 02	9 76
5	Nuttall	5 00		
10	Okonoko	12 00	2 00	2 00
350	Parkersburg, Trinity	355 00		92 60
20	" Good Shepherd	150 00	10 00	36 00
3	" St. Stephen's			
	Paw Paw	3 25	3 00	
50	Pt. Pleasant	105 75		
20	Powellton	23 57		4 31
6	Princeton	12 00		
10	Ravenswood	14 00	2 50	2 50
15	Ripley	20 50		
10	Ripon	11 63		
16	Romney	15 00		
8	Ronceverte	7 31		
75	Shepherdstown	43 23	10 04	14 00
5	Smithfield			
40	Sistersville	41 22	7 75	9 32

TREASURER'S REPORT.—Continued.

Amount of Assessment Diocesan Mis ns.	NAME.	Paid for Diocesan Missions.	Paid Religious and Theological Education.	Widows, Orphans and Disabl'd Clergy Fund.
10	Spilman	15 64	$	$
4	Spruce	2 00		
15	St. Marys	15 00		
10	St. Albans	10 07	80	60
15	Summit Point	15 00		
10	Sutton	7 13		
10	Tavenersville	14 10		1 00
50	Union	100 00	10 01	17 90
10	Waverly	10 05	55	
25	Wellsburg	51 44		5 00
	Welch			
75	Weston	82 95		21 90
425	Wheeling, St. Matthew's	425 00	15 00	113 35
175	" St. Luke's	175 00	16 10	35 25
15	" St. Andrew's	19 35		4 00
5	" St. Paul's	14 77		4 01
10	White Sulphur			
5	Willow Island	4 02		
25	Williamstown	22 19	2 12	1 00
	Williamson	5 22		
	Winfield	7 00		
	Boone County	3 80		
	Rev. C. M. Campbell	1 00		
	Interest and Earnings			281 00
	Total Income	3,187 27	165 99	868 94
	Balance June 1, 1903	1,878 18	148 03	5,669 21
		5,065 45	314 02	6,538 15
	Total Payments	3,937 48	300 00	630 00
	Balances June 1, 1904	1,127 97	14 02	5,898 15

PAYMENTS, DIOCESAN MISSIONS.

Rev. J. A. Hyatt	$ 225 00
Rev. Geo. C. Shaw	255 00
Rev. E. D. Irvine	240 00
Rev. J. H. Gibbons	50 00
Rev. E. B. Sneade	324 99
Rev. A. G. Grinnan	50 00
Rev. John F. Woods	233 33
Rev. John F. Woods, for Church News	25 00
Rev. G. A. Gibbons	250 00
Rev. R. U. Brooking	16 67
Rev. John Warnock	110 00
Rev. J. D. Miller	58 33
Rev. John S. Gibson	50 00
Rev. T. C. Darst	75 00
Rev. A. J. Willis	50 00
Rev. G. W. Easter	100 00

Rev. P. B. Stauffer	300 00
Rev. C. C. Pearson	100 00
Rev. G. H. Crook	250 00
Rev. E. H. Brosius	166 00
Rev. J. L. Fish	75 00
Rev. R. W. Meade	87 50
Rev. A. B. Mitchell	133 33
Rev. F. V. R. Moore	125 00
Rev. F. A. Meade	133 33
Rev. C. H. Maloney	125 00
Rev. R. R. Windley	125 00
Miss Elizabeth P. Barber	120 00
Rev. W. I. Williams	12 50
Mission Boxes	65 00
Printing	6 50
	$3,937 48

PAYMENTS, RELIGIOUS AND THEOLOGICAL EDUCATION.

February 23, 1904, P. P. Phillips, Treasurer	$ 200 00
May 24, 1904, P. P. Phillips, Treasurer	100 00
Total Payment	$ 300 00

PAYMENTS, WIDOWS, ORPHANS AND DISABLED CLERGY FUND.

Mrs. Lee	$ 150 00
Mrs. Mason	150 00
Mrs. Leavell	100 00
Rev. C. M. Campbell	150 00
Col A. Herbert	80 00
Total Payments	$630 00

RECAPITULATION.

LEDGER BALANCES.

Widows, Orphans and Disabled Clergy Fund		$5,898 15
Diocesan Missions		1,127 97
Religious and Theological Education		14 02
Total to be accounted for		$7,040 14
Bonds, Notes and Securities in hands of Treasurer	$6,747 00	
Cash in Bank	293 14	
		$7,040 14

Respectfully submitted.

LAWRENCE E. SANDS, *Treas.*

June 1, 1904.

REPORT OF TRUSTEE OF EPISCOPAL AND CONTINGENT FUNDS.

Beginning June 1st, 1903, and Ending May 31st, 1904.

NAME OF PARISH	Amount Assessed	Amount Paid	Amount Paid on Arrears	Amount Not Assessed
Alderson	$ 6 00	$ 2 83	$ 1 75	$
Berkeley Springs	30 00	17 25		
Bluefield	30 00	30 00		
Princeton	6 00			
Bramwell	30 00		30 00	
Eckman and McDowell Missions	20 00	20 00		
Brooke County, St. John's	5 00			
Buckhannon	10 00	10 00		
Bunker Hill	5 00			
Charleston, St. John's	275 00	275 00		
Charleston, St. Luke's	7 00			
Charleston, St. Matthew's	7 00			
Charles Town, Zion	425 00	425 00		
Charles Town, St. Phillip's	5 00	5 00	5 00	
St. Andrew's on the Mountain	2 00			
Clarksburg	125 00	125 00	125 00	
Cresaps	5 00			
Davis	8 00	8 00		
Elkins Mission	10 00	10 00		
Fairmont	100 00	100 00		
Grafton	15 00			
Harper's Ferry	20 00		15 25	
Hedgesville	50 00	50 00		
Hinton	20 00			
Huntington	100 00	100 00	90 00	
Kenova	7 00	5 00		
Lewisburg	10 00			
Ronceverte	8 00			
Martinsburg	100 00	100 00		
Middleway	30 00	30 00		
Summit Point	30 00	30 00		
Lee Town	30 00	37 00		
Moorefield	20 00	20 00		
Romney	16 00	16 00		
Okonoko	10 00	10 00		
Morgantown	25 00	25 00	6 00	
Moundsville	60 00	60 00		
Nuttallburg	10 00			
Parkersburg, Trinity	525 00	525 00		
Parkersburg, Good Shepherd	5 00	17 00		
Parkersburg, St. Stephen	2 00			
Tavennersville	3 00			
Point Pleasant, Christ	50 00	50 00		
Bruce Chapel	12 00	12 00		
Spillman Mission	10 00	10 00		
Powellton	20 00	20 00	29 00	
Ansted	20 00	20 00		
Ravenswood, Grace	10 00			
Ripley, St. John's	15 00			
Liverpool, Whittle	2 00			
Ripon	20 00		20 00	
Shepherdstown	75 00	68 50		
Sistersville	40 00	40 00	23 75	
New Martinsville	40 00	40 00	21 50	
Smithfield, Wetzel County	5 00			
Spruce Chapel	4 00	2 00	4 00	
St. Albans	10 00	10 00	6 68	
Montgomery	15 00	15 00	15 00	
St Mary's	15 00	5 00	5 00	
Sutton	10 00			
Union	50 00	53 75		
White Sulphur	10 00			
Fort Spring	5 00			
Waverley	5 00	5 00		
Wellsburg	25 00	25 00		
Weston	80 00	80 00		

REPORT OF TRUSTEE OF EPISCOPAL AND CONTINGENT FUNDS.—Continued.

NAME OF PARISH	Amount Assessed	Amount Paid Out	Amount Paid on Arrears	Amount Not Assessed
Wheeling, St. Matthew's	$ 600 00	$ 600 00	$.....	$.....
Wheeling, St. Luke's	175 00	150 00	.....	.....
Wheeling, St. Andrew's	10 00	10 00	.....	.....
Chester	4 00	.....	.....	.....
Williamson	5 00	.....	.....	.....
Wheeling, St. Paul's, Elm Grove	10 00	.....	.....	.....
Williamstown	15 00	2 50	.....	.....
Willow Island	5 00	.....	.....	.....
Beckley	6 00	.....	.....	.....
Beury	5 00	.....	.....	.....
DuBree	5 00	.....	.....	.....
Glen Jean	10 00	.....	.....	.....
Immanuel, Mt. Carbon	5 00	5 00	.....	.....
Winfield—Rev. J. H. Gibbons	.....	.....	.....	2 00
Hartford	.....	.....	.....	2 00
St. Andrews, Mannington	.....	.....	.....	14 18
Little Otter	.....	.....	.....	2 50
Centralia	.....	.....	.....	5 00
Grace Chapel, Newport, Wood County	.....	.....	.....	3 00
Totals	$3,630 00	$3,277 33	$397 93	$28 68

RECEIPTS.

Amount received on this year's assessment	$3,277 33
Amount received on arrears	397 93
Amount received from Missions not assessed	28 68
Amount received discount on Tribune bill	5 50
Amount received interest from Permanent Fund	1,985 00
Total	$5,694 44

DISBURSEMENTS.

Paid Rt. Rev. G. W. Peterkin	$2,000 00
Paid Bishop Coadputor W. L. Gravatt	2,500 00
Paid R. D. Roller, Sec'y (salary and postage)	103 50
Paid Tribune Company (printing Journal)	305 24
Paid Rev. J. S. Gibson (examining chaplain)	35 11
Paid Standing Committee (Rev. G. A. Gibbons)	22 35
Paid News Publishing Co., (Memorial Leaflets)	66 00
Paid U: S. Express Co., on Memorial Leaflets	16 24
Paid L. E. Sands (printing and postage)	6 10 00
Paid West Va. Printing Co	2 75
Paid Miss Henderson for Trustee Report (last year)	2 00
Paid rent of house for Bishop Coadjutor	300 00
Total	$5,363 19

RECAPITULATION.

Balance on hand, June 1st, 1903	$ 235 57	
Total receipts for year from every source	$5,694 44	
		$5,930 01
Bishops' salaries	$4,500 00	
Contingent expenses	863 19	
Balance on hand, June 1st, 1904	566 82	
		$5,930 01

REPORT OF THE TRUSTEES OF THE PERMANENT FUND OF THE DIOCESE OF WEST VIRGINIA FOR THE PERIOD EDNING MAY 18. 1904.

By order of Council of 1902, the Central Banking and Security Company, of Parkersburg, West Virginia, was named as Treasurer of the Permanent Fund. The accounts given below include transactions had by the Trustees direct, as well as those occurring with the Treasurer.

The accompanying statement shows in the hands of the Treasurer on May 18, 1904, the following:

1. Listed as Investments, pledges, etc.	$33,618 00
2. Cash	1,913 56
	$35,531 56
The Trustees also hold 2 pledges on Parkersburg list	250 00
	$35,781 56

The report made to the Council of 1903, published in the Journal for that year (pp. 86 to 92), closed on May 18, 1903, and showed the condition of the fund on that day to be (p. 86 of Journal):

Investments, pledges, etc.	$18,412 00
Cash	8,198 51
	$26,610 51

And on page 92 of the *Journal of 1903* is found a supplemental report, made after adjournment of Council, in order to show contributions, received from the offerings in commemoration of the 25th Anniversary of the Consecration of the first Bishop of the Diocese, Rt. Rev. Geo. W. Peterkin—Ascension Day, May 21, 1903.

That supplemental report at page 94 shows that the increase of the fund during the year, including session of Council of 1903, was $13,301.48.

To conform to the Treasurer's accounts and to official statements made to Council, we avoid confusion by now ignoring the supplemental report, and recur to the regular report of 1903, duly presented at Wheeling May 20, 1903, including May 18 of that year.

PRESENT CONDITION OF THE FUND.

Securities, bonds, pledges, notes and certificates shown by accompanying certificate	$33,618 00
Cash on hand	1,913 56

Pledges in hands of Trustees	250 00
	$35,781 56
Amount due from interest overpaid	138 06
Total resources	$35,919 62
Total reported to Council of 1903	26,610 51
Increase	9,309 11

In order to ascertain the increase of the funds since the Council of 1902, when the effort commenced to raise the Anniversary Fund—

We take the present aggregate	$35,781 56
Deduct amount reported in 1902	22,333 44
	$13,448 12
Add interest overdrawn	138 96
	$13,586 18

Detailed Statement of Receipts and Disbursements.

1903.			Interest.	
May 18	Bal. cash as per last statement			$8,198 51
May 19	Interest 6 mos. W. H. Wolfe note		150.00	
June 12	J. C. Smith Paid note $25, int. .69		69	25 00
June 12	A. T. Kreps, interest		90 00	
June 17	Subscription W. J. Robb	$ 20 00		
June 17	Subscription Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Smith	250 00		
June 17	Subscription Th. L. Broun	50 00		320 00
Aug. 4	Th. L. Broun note $100, int. $2.50		3 50	100 00
	J. H. Grimm, int. 30, Pyth Castle $15, Traders Co., $15		60 00	
Aug 17	Sub. B. M. Ambler, $250, Dr. Sharp $25			275 00
Oct. 12	St. Matthews, Mannington, paid note			300 00
Oct. 12	Interest Citizens B. A		60 00	
Oct. 30	H. H. Moss, acct. sub			62 50
Nov. 3	Int. Pyth Castle, $15		15 00	
	Subs. G. L. Watson on acct			125 00
	Trinity Church, Martinsburg			1 00
	Subs. W. N. Chancellor			250 00
	Subs. Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Martin on acct			125 00
Nov. 20	Interest Mrs. Laird		180 00	
Dec. 3	Pd. by Bp. Peterkin			5 00

Dec 9	Int. W. H. Wolfe, $150, Mrs. Tavenner, $105..	255 00	
Dec. 28	A. T. Kreps int. $90, St. Marys Ch. $27.....	117 00	
	St. Marys on acct. debt.....		47 00
1904.			
Jan. 13	Int. Traders Co. $15, H. D. Perkins $75.....	90 00	
Jan. 30	Int. N. A. Ogdin $60 (Feb. 1) S L. Gould $252	312 00	
Feb. 8	J. H. Grimm paid note $1,000, int. $30.....	30 00	1,000 00
Feb. 19	Interest Mrs. Laird.....	90 00	
Mar 2	Elm Grove $2.76, St. Marks, St. Albans, $1.80.		4 56
Mar. 7	H. H. Moss, bal. subs. $187.50, int. $12.....	12 00	187 50
Apr. 9	Trinity Ch., Wheeling, $2.11.....		2 11
Apr. 9	Interest Citizens B. A.....	60 00	
Apr. 15	St. Marys Ch. pd. on note $60, int. $6.25.....	6 25	60 00
Apr. 20	Int. Mrs. Tavenner, $64.75, Trinity, Huntington, $2.75	64 75	2 75
May 7	Interest note Christ Church, Clarksburg, Good Shepherd, $2; Shepherdstown, $1.27; Miss Gordon, $5; All Sts. Union, $7.45; Kanawha Parish, $3	144 00	18 72
	Subs. J. T. Waters, $30; St. Anns N. M., $12.10		42 10
	Christ Church, Williamstown		3 00
May 17	Int. Pyth Castle, $15; W. H. Wolfe, $150.....	165 00	
		$1,905 19	$11,154 75

The following were received at Council of 1903 and shortly afterwards:

J. W. Norris	10 00	
W. T. Grier	3 00	
J. A. Davenport	5 00	
V. Johnson, Treasurer.....	7 92	
Rev. J. S. Douglas	69	
C. T. Hiteshew	5 00	
H. P. Moss	10 00	
P. E. Ch. Morgantown	136 27	
Jos. Bryan	100 00	277 80
C. Y. Ligon	10 00	
Mrs. J. J. Coyner	7 50	17 50
Elizabeth C. Breeze, Berkeley Springs....	10 00	
Mrs. McSherry, Martinsburg	12 00	
C. C. Boyer, Tr, Christ Ch. Pt. Pleasant....	32 50	
A. A. Roush, Treas. C. (C. & M. Co.) Spilman	12 00	
Rev. Guy H. Crook, Ronceverte.....	35 00	

Same	43 50		
Bishop Peterkin, Chap. Good Shepherd, Parkersburg	250 00		
St. Lukes P. E. Church, Wheeling	586 74		
St. Matthews P. E. Church	3,543 75		
St. Andrews P. E Church	67 48		
Trinity Church, Huntington	100 00		
C. C. Coe, Cashier, Kenova	21 00		
Robt. H. Browse, St. Marys	100 00		
Geo. C. Thomas, Philadelphia	500 00		
St. Pauls Church, Sistersville	31 89		
J. D. Miller, Harpers Ferry	37 00		
St. Ann's P. E. Church, New Martinsville	50 00		
Romney, W Va	446 25		
Moorefield	17 27		
Okonoko	8 25		
Paw Paw	8 14		
Cash	30		
All Saints Union	37 95		
Messiah, Alderson	1 00		
St. John's Church, Charleston	669 88		
W. D. Tyler, Treasurer, Bramwell	38 44		
L. E. Sands, Treasurer—			
Berkeley Springs	14 00		
Ravenswood	40 00		
St. Marys	10 00		
Bluefield	5 65		
Hedgeville	8 05		
Plate Collection	135 99		
Trinity Church, Moundsville	150 00		7,024 03
Mrs. Kate A. Smith	20 00		
Mrs. L. R. Via	2 00		
Mrs. S. V. Wilcox	5 00		
A member	5 00		32 00
All Saints Church Moundsville			2 41
Emmanuel Church, Moorefield			6.05
Several coupons paid			37 00
		$1,905 19	$18,551 62
			1,905 19
Total			$20,456 81

Disbursements.

1903.		
May 18	Loaned to S. L. Gould, on mortgage	$ 6,000 00
June 18	Loaned to H. H. Pennybacker, mortgage	2,000 00
June 22	Loaned to Mrs. J. A. Tavenner and Miss Tavenner	3,500 00
July 9	Loaned to H. D. Perkins	2,500 00
July 11	Paid stenographic work	5 00
July 11	Paid Parkersburg Sentinel, printing report	13 25
July 11	Loaned N. A. Ogdin	2,000 00
Aug. 16	Paid printing circulars 25th Anniversary	25 00
Aug. 16	Paid Postage and distribution	15 00
Sept. 1	Check to R. M. Browne, trustee, Bishop's salary	485 00
Dec. 16	Check to R. M. Browne, trustee, Bishop's salary	700 00
1904.		
Mar. 28	Check to R. M. Broune, trustee, Bishop's salary	800 00
Apr. 14	Loaned C. B. Gordon $4,000, out of which paid $3,500 owed by Mrs. Tavenner, as above and assumed by Mr. Gordon, check for difference	500 00
	Balance of cash on hand	1,913 56
		$20,456 81

Interest Account.

Total interest received		$ 1,905 19
Paid to R. M. Browne, Treas. for Bishops' salaries, etc.	$1,985 00	
Sundry accounts	58 25	2,043 25
Overpaid		$ 138 06

Investments.

List of securities, bonds, notes, pledges and investments belonging to the Permanent Fund of the Diocese:

Bond No. 26 Traders Co., of Clarksburg	$ 500 00
Bond No. 8 Pythian Castle of Wheeling	500 00
Bal. note St. Marys Church, St. Marys	293 00
Note A. H. and A. T. Kreps, secured by mortgage	3,000 00
Note W. H. Wolfe and others	5,000 00
Note Jennie F. Laird and others, secured by mortgage	3,000 00
Certificate No. 276, Citizens B. A. Parkersburg	2,000 00
Note H. D. Perkins, secured by mortgage	2,500 00
Note C. B. Gordon, secured by mortgage	4,000 00
Note S. L. Gould, secured by mortgage	6,000 00
Note N. A. Ogdin, secured by mortgage	2,000 00

Note H. H. Pennybacker, secured by mortgage		2,000 00
Unpaid pledges heretofore reported	$ 60 00	
Sundry certificates, cupons attached	470 00	
Notes given as subscriptions	2,295 00	2,825 00
		$33,618 00
Cash on hand		1,913 56
Total assets in hands of Central Banking & S. Co.		$ 35,531 56
The Trustees hold balance unpaid on 2 pledges, made on Parkersburg list to Anniversary Fund		250 00
Present aggregate of fund		$ 35,781 56
To this should be added amount overpaid of interest account to be restored out of income		138 06
		$35,919 62

Certificate

This is to certify that Central Banking and Security Company, of Parkersburg, West Virginia, had on hand, at close of business on May 18, 1904, bonds, notes, pledges, and items of credit belonging to the Trustees of the Permanent Fund of the Protestant Episcopal Church for the Diocese of West Virginia $33,618 00
And cash to credit of Chairman of said Trustees to amount of 1,913 56 $35,531 56

CENTRAL BANKING & SECURITY CO.,
By W. H. OGDIN, *Cashier*

The Trustees again request that all remittances for this fund be made to Central Banking and Security Co., Parkersburg, W. Va.

Respectfully submitted on behalf of the Trustees.

Parkersburg, May 18, 1904.

APPENDIX B.

Parochial Reports for the Year Ending April 30th, 1904, Arranged According to Alphabetical Clergy List.

PAROCHIAL REPORTS

FOR THE YEAR ENDING APRIL 30th, 1904.

PAROCHIAL REPORT.

Rev. JNO. S. ALFRIEND, address Charles Town. Zion Church, St. Andrew's Parish, Charles Town, Jefferson county. Present minister took charge March 1st, 1902.

Church Officers—Church Wardens, B. C. Washington, Frank Beckwith; other vestrymen, S. W. Washington, Geo. Eyster, Wm. Packett, Joseph Trapnell, Claiborne Green, Richard Henderson, Scott Kennedy, Richard Alexander, Jno. W. Russell, Thornton Perry; Registrar, S. W. Washington, address, Charles Town; Treasurer, S. W. Washington, address Charles Town; Superintendent of Sunday Schools, B. C. Washington, Charles Town, W. Va.; Sunday School Secretary and Treasurer, Richard Alexander; Lay Reader, Joseph Trapnell.

Official Acts—Baptisms, infants 8, adults 2, total 12; presented for confirmation since last report 9, marriages 3, burials 12, catechisings 25, public services, Sundays, 116, other days 140, total 256; holy communion, public 27, private 2, total 29.

Communicants—Number last reported 326, received by letter 2, admitted by confirmation 9, added otherwise 1, total gain 12; died 5, total loss 5; net gain 7; present number notal 333.

Congregations—Baptized persons connected with parish 450, confirmed persons connected with parish 350, families 160, number sittings in church 600, number free sittings 100, number sittings in chapel 150, number sittings in Sunday school room 150.

Rector's Salary—As pledged from this congregation $1,250.00.

Organizations—Sunday schools, officers and teachers, male 5, female 11, total 16; pupils, male 34, female 66, total 100; advent offerings $35.00, lenten offerings $40.00, other offerings $10.00, total Sunday School offerings $85.00; Brotherhood of St. Andrew, members 10; Woman's Auxiliary, members 70; Library Association, 10; Babies' Branch Auxiliary, 20; St. Andrew's Guild, 40; Mexican Guild, 10; Chancel Chapter, 5; Children of the King, 20; Rector's Aid Society, 10.

Property—Church, brick, insurance $9,000, value $13,000; rectory, brick, insurance $2,475 value $5,000; parish house, brick, insurance $1,600, value $3,000; total insurance, $13,075; total value, $21,000; indebtedness on church, $200.00.

FINANCIAL REPORT.

Receipts—For all purposes—Cash on hand, per last report, $36.32; pledges and subscriptions, $285.49; pew rent, $2,423.63; collections in church, $1,674.21; thank offerings, $343.96; Sunday School, $105.75; Woman's Auxiliary, money, $147.59; Woman's Auxiliary, boxes, value, $69.93; Guilds or other societies, $996.37; contributions from without, $88.00; income from other sources, $170.75; total receipts for all purposes, $6,342.00.

Disbursements—For Current Expenses—Salary of rector, $1,250.00; other salaries, $400.00; insurance, $112.75; ordinary repairs, $152.25; other current expenses, $234.31; total for current expenses, $2,149.31. *Contributions—For Objects in the Parish*—Communion alms, $55.00; Parish Missions, $1,156.30; maintaining Sunday Schools, $93.57; payment on debts for building, etc., $401.95; total contributions for objects in the parish, $1,706.82. *Contributions—For Objects in the Diocese*—Salary of Bishop, $425.00; Diocesan missions, $300.00; Convocation missions, $117.50; Widows and orphans, aged and disabled clergy fund, $41.65; religious and theologican education, $44.13; Sheltering Arms Hospital, $50.19; Bishop's Special Fund, $132.46; other objects, $229.99; total contributions for objects in the Diocese, $1,340.92. *Contributions—For Objects Without the Diocese*—Domestic Missions General, $107.04; Jews, $20.41; total Domestic Missions, $127.45. Foreign Missions General, $179.95; for Africa, $25.00; for Mexico, $69.00; through American Church Missionary Society, $166.50; Brazil, $273.32; total Foreign Missions, $713.77; General Clergy Relief Fund, $11.76; total contributions for objects without the Diocese, $852.98.

Financial Summary—Current expenses raised by congregation as above, $2,149.31. *Contributions*—For objects in the parish, $1,706.82; for objects in the diocese, $1,340.92; for objects without the diocese, $852.98; total of contributions, $3,900.72; all money raised by the congregation for current expenses and for contributions, $6,050.03; cash in hand, $291.97.

PAROCHIAL REPORT.

Rev. JNO. S. ALFRIEND, address Charles Town. Blue Ridge Mission, on the Mount, Jefferson county. Date of organization, 1891. Present minister took charge March 1, 1902.

Church Officers—Superintendent of Sunday Schools, Jno. Howell, Charles Town.

Official Acts—Baptisms, infants, 3; presented for confirmation since last report 1, marriages 2, burials 1, public services, Sundays, 18; Holy Communion, public, 2.

Communicants—Number last reported, 28; admitted by confirmation 1, total gain, 1; net gain, 1; present number total, 29.

Congregations—Baptized persons connected with parish, 40; confirmed persons connected with parish, 28; families, 25; number of sittings in church, 150; number free sittings, all; number sittings in chapel, 150.

Organizations—Sunday Schools, officers and teachers, male, 2; female, 5; total, 7; pupils, male, 30; female, 40; total, 70. Advent, Lenten and other offerings, $5.00; parish schools, officers and teachers, 2; scholars, 15; total, 17; mothers meetings, 10; children's society, 15.

Property—Church, wood, insurance, $600.00; value, $600; Deaconess Home, Wood, insurance, $600.00; value, $600.00; total insurance, $1,200.00; total value, $1,200.00. Money raised from outside sources, $600.00; for what objects used, building of the Deaconess House.

FINANCIAL REPORT.

Receipts—For all Purposes—Collections in church, $15.00; Sunday School, $5.00; contributions from without, $800.00; income from other sources, $475.00; total receipts for all purposes, $1,295.00.

Disbursements—For Current Expenses—Deaconess, $475.00, not raised by congregation. *Contributions—For Objects in the Parish*—Extraordinary repairs and improvements, $200.00; other objects, $5.00; building the Deaconess House, $600.00; total contributions for objects in the parish, $805.00. *Contributions—For Objects in the Diocese*—Sheltering Arms Hospital, $15.00.

Financial Summary—Contributions—For objects in the parish, $5; for objects in the diocese, $15; total of contributions, $20.

Remarks—This work so long carried on by the parish is now by consent of the bishops, rector and vestry of Zion Church to be admitted into the diocese as an independent Mission with permission of Council.

JNO. S. ALFRIEND.

PAROCHIAL REPORT.

Rev. JNO. S. ALFRIEND, address Charles Town. Harewood Mission, Harewood, Jefferson county. Present minister took charge March 1, 1902.

Church officers—Superintendent of Sunday School, A. G. Wynkoop, Charles Town, W. Va.

Official Acts—Public services, Sundays, 12.

Organizations—Sunday Schools, officers and teachers, male, 2; female, 3;

total, 5; pupils, male, 25; female, 15; total, 40. Location of schools mentioned above, Harewood, Jefferson county.

Disbursements—Sheltering Arms Hospital, $10.00.

Financial Summary—Collections in church, $10.00.

Remarks—This is a Mission point with no organization. Sunday School is held every Sunday from Easter to Christmas. I held service and preached here one Sunday afternoon in the month. Most of the children and all of teh adult congregation are connected with other denominations.

JNO. S. ALFRIEND, *Rector.*

PAROCHIAL REPORT.

Rev. JACOB BRITTINGHAM, address 66 S. Penn. Street. St. Lukes Church, The Island Parish, Wheeling, Ohio county. Date of organization, June 22, 1881. Present minister took charge, March 3, 1889.

Church Officers—Church Wardens, Lawrence E. Sands, Edward B. Bowie; other vestrymen, W. A. Wilson, Charles H. Copp; A. A. Taylor, Wylie Irwin, R. M. Wolff, Thos. Johns, Geo. J. Rogers; Registrar, W. Alfa Wilson, address care R. G. Dunn & Co.; Treasurer, Lawrence E. Sands, address Care National Exchange Bank; Superintendent of Sunday Schools, Lawrence E. Sands, Wheeling Island, W. Va.; Sunday School Secretary and Treasurer, Robt. L. Boyd; Lay Reader, A. A. Taylor.

Official Acts—Baptisms, infants, 17; adults, 2; total, 19; presented for confirmation since last report, 13; marriages, 5; burials, 17; catechisings, 6; public services, Sundays, 94; other days, 72; total, 166. Holy Communion, public, 15; private, 2; total, 17.

Communicants—Number last reported, 266; received by letter, 3; admitted by confirmation, 13; added otherwise, 2; total gain, 18; died, 4; transferred, 8; removed without letter, 11; lapsed, 2; total loss, 25; net loss, 6; present number total, 260.

Congregations—Baptized persons connected with parish, 281; confirmed persons connected with parish, 382; families, 171; individuals not thus included, 31; whole number of individuals, 413; number sittings in church, all free, 400; number of sittings in parish house, 200; number of sittings in Sunday School room, 200.

Rector's Salary—As pledged from this congregation, $1,500.

Organizations—Sunday School, officers and teachers, male, 3; female, 7; total, 10; pupils, male, 20; female, 60; total, 80; advent offerings, $15.50; lenten, $46.00; other offerings, $63.50; total Sunday School offerings, $125.00; Woman's Auxiliary, members, 18; King's Daughters, 44; Chancel Chapter, 18; Junior King's Daughters, 14.

Property—Church, frame, insurance, $6,000; value, $12,000; rectory, frame, insurance, $2,000; value, $5,000; parish house, frame, $4,500; value,

$9,000; organ, value, $2,500; total insurance, $12,500; total value, $28,500. indebtedness, about $400 in debt for current obligations, will pay it off shortly; now enlarging the rectory.

FINANCIAL REPORT.

Receipts—For all Purposes—Pledges and subscriptions, $2,213.69; collections in church, $1,221.06; money borrowed, $400.00; Sunday School, $125.00; Woman's Auxiliary, money, $70.00; Woman's Auxiliary, boxes, value, $100.80; King's Daughters, $223.20; Chancel Chapter, $227.52; total receipts for all purposes, $4,581.27.

Disbursements—For Current Expenses—Salary of rector, $1,500.00; other salaries, $673.50; insurance, $94.50; ordinary repairs, $37.69; other current expenses, $275.19; total for curent expenses, $2,580.88. *Contributions—For Objects in the Parish*—Communion alms, $26.50; payment on debts for building, &c., $1,000.00; total contributions for objects in the parish, $1,026.51. *Contributions—For Objects in the Diocese*—Salary of Bishops, $150.00; Diocesan Missions, $175.00; Convocation Missions, $10.00; Widows and Orphans, Aged and Disabled Clergy Fund, $35.25; Religious and Theological Education, $16.10; Sheltering Arms Hospital, $34.80; Bishop's Special Fund, $100.00; Central Fund Auxiliary, $2.00; box for Sheltering Arms, $14.00; total contributions for objects in the diocese, $537.15. *Contributions—For Objects Without the Diocese*—Domestic Missions General, $57.23; Jews, $3.10; total Domestic Missions, $60.33. Foreign Missions General, $51.01; China, $40.00 Brazil, insurance, $5.00; total Foreign Missions, $91.01; Barnesville, Ohio, $50.00; church box to Kentucky missionary, $866.80; cash, to Kentucky missionary, $25.00; total contributions for objects without the diocese, $313.14.

Financial Summary—Current expenses raised by congregation as above, $2,580.88; *Contributions*—for objects in the parish, $1,026.51; for objects in the diocese, $537.15; for objects without the diocese, $313.14; total contributions, $1,876.80; all money raised by the congregation for current expenses and for contributions, $4,457.68; overdrawn, $76.41.

PAROCHIAL REPORT.

Rev. E. H. BROSSIUS, address Bluefield, W. Va. Christ Church, Bluefield Parish, Bluefield, Mercer county. Date of Organization, May 20, 1903. Present minister took charge December 1, 1901.

Church Officers—Church Wardens, Geo. H. Hill, E. H. Smith; other vestrymen, T. H. Becker, G. H. Wade, W. H. B. Loving, R. C. Turner, R. A. Lacy, E. A. Blake, F. R. Wadleigh; Registrar, R. A. Lacy, address Bluefield; Treasurer, R. C. Turner, address, Bluefield; Superintendent of Sun-

day Schools, E. H. Brosius; Sunday School Secretary and Treasurer, E. H. Brosius.

Official Acts—Baptisms, infants, 5; presented for confirmation since last report, 2; marriages, 2; burials, 3; public services, Sundays, 71; other days, 15; total, 86; Holy Communion, public, 20; private, 1; total, 21.

Communicants—Number last reported, 91; admitted by confirmation, 2; added otherwise, 38; total gain, 40; died, 1; removed without letter, 24; total loss, 25; net gain, 15; present number total, 106.

Congregations—Baptized persons connected with parish, 181; confirmed persons connected with parish, 106; families, 57; individuals not thus included, 26; whole number of individuals, 205; number of scattered communicants in your section not connected with any parish, 2; number sittings in church, 200; number free sittings, 200;.

Rector's Salary—As pledged from this congregation, $466.70; from Diocesan Missions, $150.00; from General Board, $100.00; as pledged from other congregations, $83.30; total, $800.00.

Organizations—Sunday Schools, officers and teachers, male, 1; female, 3; total, 4; pupils, male, 15; female, 14; total, 29; Advent offering, $7.85; Lenten offering, $18.26; other offerings, $17.89; total Sunday School offerings, $44.00; Ladies' Guild, Chancel Chapter, Social Guild, Charity Chapter.

Property—Church, wood, insurance, $1,500; value, $2,000; rectory, wood, insurance, $800.00; value, $1,500.00; total insurance, $2,300; total value, $3,500.00; indebtedness, organ, $312.00; total indebtedness, $312.00.

FINANCIAL REPORT.

Receipts—For all Purposes—Cash on hand, per last report, $65.22; pledges and subscriptions, $767.63; collections in church, $109.98; money borrowed, $312.00; thank offering, Easter, $77.67; Sunday School, $44.00; Guilds, or other societies, $330.61; contributions from without, $179.46; total receipts for all purposes, $1,886.57.

Disbursements—For Current Expenses—Salary or rector, $466.70; other salaries, sexton, $72.00; ordinary repairs, $5.20; interest on debt, $12.82; other current expenses, $108.20; total for current expenses, $664.92. *Contributions—For Objects in the Parish*—Communion alms, $12.50; extraordinary repairs and improvements, $569.22; maintaining Sunday Schools, $44.00; payment on debts for building, &c., $140.46; other objects, organ, $312.00; total contributions for objects in the parish, $1,078.12; *Contributions—For Objects in the Diocese*—Salary of Bishops, $30.00; Permanent Fund, $5.65; Diocesan Missions, $30.00; Convocation Missions, $16.00; Sheltering Arms Hospital, $5.30; total contributions for objects in the diocese, $86.95. *Contributions— For Objects Without the Diocese—Domes*tic Missions General, $16.02; Foreign Missions General, $16.02; total contributions for objects without the diocese, $32.05.

Financial Summary—Current Expenses raised by Congregation as above,

$664.92. *Contributions*—For objects in the parish, $1.078.18; for objects in the diocese, $86.95; for objects without the diocese, $32.05; total contributions, $1,862.10; all money raised by the congregation for current expenses and for contributions, $1,886.57; cash in hand, $24.47.

PAROCHIAL REPORT.

Rev. E. H. BROSIUS, address Bluefield, W. Va. Heavenly Rest Church, Heavenly Rest Mission, Princeton, Mercer county. Present minister took charge December 1, 1901.

Church Officers—Registrar, H. B. Barbor, address Princeton; Treasurer, H. B. Barbor.

Official Acts—Mariages, 2; public services, Sundays, 6; Holy Communion, public, 2.

Communicants—Number last reported, 18; added otherwise, 2; total gain, 2; removed without letter, 2; total loss, 2; present number total, 18.

Congregations—Baptized persons connected with parish, 20; confirmed persons connected with parish, 18; families, 10; number sittings in church 150.

Rector's Salary—As pledged from this congregation, $29.25; from Diocesan Missions, $150.00; from General Board, $100.00; as pledged from other congregations, $520.75; total, $800.00.

Property—Church wood. Indebtedness, due the minister, $23.25; due on diocesan assessment for Missions, $6.00; due on diocesan assessment for Bishop's Fund, $6.00; total indebtedness, $35.25.

FINANCIAL REPORT.

Receipts—For all Purposes—Pledges and subscriptions, $68.25.

Disbursements—For Current Expenses—Salary of rector, $36.00; ordinary repairs, $12.25; total for current expenses, $48.25. *Contributions for Objects in the Diocese*—Salary of Bishops, $6.00; Diocesan Missions, $6.00; Bishop's Special Fund, $8.00; total contributions for objects in the diocese, $20.00.

Financial Summary—Current expenses raised by congregations as above, $48.25; *Contributions*—For objects in the diocese, $20.00; total of contributions, $20.00; all money raised by the congregation for current expenses and for contributions. $68.25.

Remarks—No report from Athens, W. Va.

PAROCHIAL REPORT.

Rev. C. M. CAMPBELL, address Racine. Christ Church, Short Creek, Boone county. Present minister took charge April 1, 1902.

Official Acts—Burials, 2; public services, Sundays, 5; other days, 2; total, 7; Holy Communion, public, 1.

Communicants,—Number last reported, 2; present number total, 2.

Congregations—Baptized persons connected with parish, 8; confirmed persons connected with parish, 3; families, 3; individuals not thus included, 6; whole number of individuals, 14.

Property—Church, log, value, $400.

FINANCIAL REPORT.

Receipts—For all Purposes——Collection in church, $5.30.

Disbursements—Contributions—For Objects in the Diocese—Diocesan Missions, $3.80; Convocation Missions, 50 cents; total contributions for objects in the diocese, $4.30. *Contributions—For Objects Without the Diocese*—Through American Church Missionary Society, 50 cents; total Domestic Missions, 50 cents; Through American Missionary Society, 50 cents; total Foreign Missions, 50 cents; total contributions for objects without the diocese, $1.00.

Financial Summary—Contributions—For objects in the diocese, $4.30; for objects without the diocese, $1.00; total of contributions, $5.30; all money raised by the congregation for current expenses and for contributions, $5.30.

Remarks—Many more services and the Holy Communion several times, were announced, but not held, simply for lack of attendance. For six months past practically nothing has been done, but it is hoped that the Sunday School, which was closed early in November, can be reopened this summer if teachers ca nbe found. I have married one couple at Hernshaw, which is out of this county by several miles.

PAROCHIAL REPORT.

Rev. C. M. CAMPBELL, address Racine. St. Paul's Mission, Bull Creek, Boone county. Present minister took charge April 1, 1902.

Official Acts—Public services, Sundays, 2; other days, 4; total 6.

Communicants—Number last reported, 4; present number total, 4.

Congregations—Baptized persons connected with parish, 10; confirmed persons connected with parish, 4; families, 4; whole number of individuals, 10.

Remarks—No services have been held since the end of October, and there

has been no Sunday School for more than a year. We have no one left at Emmanuel Mission, mouth of Robinson Creek, and I therefore send no separate report. Six (6) Sunday services, and three (3) on other days were held there however, last summer and fall; also one (1) service during the week at the Court House, Madison in the Southern Methodist Church.

PAROCHIAL REPORT.

Rev. WILSON PAGE CHRISMAN, address Moundsville, W. Va. Trinity Church, Trinity Parish, Moundsville, Marshall county. Date of organization, 1848. Present minister took charge June 1, 1902.

Church Officers—Church Wardens, V. A. Weaver, Friend Cox; other vestrymen, A. J. Martin, M. P. Hendrickson, J. T. Gallaher, C. L. Walton, J. M. Saunders, H. B. Tyler, J. D. Bruce; Registrar, J. T. Gallaher, address Moundsville, W. Va.; Treasurer, C. L. Walton, address Moundsville, W. Va.; Superintendent of Sunday Schools, W. P. Chrisman, Moundsville, W. Va.; Sunday School Secretary and Treasurer, H. B. Tyler.

Official Acts—Baptisms, infants, 3; adults, 2; total, 5; presented for confirmation since last report, 2; marriage, 3; burials, 5; public services, Sundays, 97; other days, 100; total, 197; Holy Communion, public, 24.

Communicants—Number last reported, 55; received by letter, 2; admitted by confirmation, 2; restored to communion, 1; added otherwise, 10; total gain, 15; died, 2; removed without letter, 1; lapsed, 3; total loss, 6; net gain, 9; present number total, 64.

Congregations—Baptized persons connected with parish, 153; confirmed persons connected with parish, 81; families, 50; individuals not thus included, 34; whole number of individuals, 168; number of scatered communicants in your section not connecter with any parish, 10; number sittings, in church, 200; number free sittings, 200; number sittings in chapel, 25; number sittings in Sunday School room, 225.

Rector's Salary—As pledged from this congregation, $1,250.00.

Organizations—Sunday Schools, officers and teachers, male, 4; female, 8; total, 12; pupils, male, 44; female, 65; total, 109; Advent offerings, $25.59; Lenten offerings, $42.83; other offerings, $47.09; total Sunday School offerings, $115.51; Industrial school, officers and teachers, 2; scholars, 23; total, 25; Trinity Guild, (a) Industrial Chapter, (b) Chancel Chapter.

Property—Church, frame, insurance, $4,000.00; value, $8,000.00; rectory, frame, insurance, $2,000.00; value, $5000.00; parish house brick, insurance, $5,000.00; value, $20,000.00; total insurance, $11,000.00; total value, $33,000. Indebtedness, on parish house, $3,300.00; total indebtedness, $3,300.00.

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Receipts—For all Purposes—Cash on hand, per last report, $62.81; pledges and subscriptions, $1,050.00; collections in church, $667.09; Sunday School, $115.51; guilds, or other societies, $366.09; income from other sources, $59.50; total receipts for all purposes, $2,321.00.

Disbursements—Salary of rector, $1,250.00; other salaries, $52.00; insurance, $30.00; other objects, $572.52; total for current expenses, $1,904.52. *Contributions—For Objects in the Parish*—Communion alms, $23.52; parish Missions, $3.70; parochial and industrial schools, $5.00; maintaining Sunday Schools, $4.87; other objects, $39.50; total contributions for objects in the parish, $76.59. *Contributions—For Objects in the Diocese*—Salary of Bishops, $60.00; permanent Fund, $5.15; Diocesan Missions, $44.30; Convocation Missions, $18.00; Widows and Orphans, Aged and Disabled Clergy Fund, $16.35; Religious and Theological Education, $5.00; Sheltering Arms Hospital, $11.20; Theological Seminary, $5.25; other objects, $5.00; total contributions for objects in the diocese, $170.25. *Contributions—For objects Without the Diocese*—Domestic Missions General, $16.48; colored people, $3.20; Indians, $3.95; deaf and dumb, $3.60; Jews, $3.86; Through American Church Missionary Society, $3.65; total Domestic Missions, $34.74; Foreign Missions General, $12.35; for Mexico, $2.52; Brazil, $1.00; Cuba, $1.00; total Foreign Missions, $16.87; American Church Building Fund, $3.15; General Clergy Relief Fund, $4.08; Bible and Prayer Book Society, $3.93; other objects, $57.83; total contributions for objects without the diocese, $120.60.

Financial Summary—Current expenses raised by congregation as above, $1,904.52. *Contributions*—For objects in the parish, $76.59; for objects in the diocese, $170.45; for objects without the diocese, $120.60; total contributions, $367.64; all money raised by the congregation for current expenses and for contribuions, $2, 272.16; cash in hand, $48.84.

PAROCHIAL REPORT.

Rev. THOS. J. OLIVER CURRAN, address Wheeling. St. Andrews, Wheeling, Ohio county. Present minister took charge Oct., 1900.

Church Officers—Treasurer, Wm. A. Carroll, address 3809 Jacob St.

Offical Acts—Baptism, infants 14, adults 5, total 19; marriages 12, burials 6, catechisings 44, public services, Sundays, 108, other days 75, total 183; Holy Communion, public 40, private 2, total 42.

Communicants—Number last reported 76, restored to communion 2, total gain 2; transferred 3, total loss 1, net loss 1, present number total 75.

Congregations—Baptized persons connected wth Parish 200, confirmed persons connected with Parish 75, families 15, individuals not thus included 25, whole number of individuals 315.

Rector's Salary—As pledged from this congregation $700.00, as pledged from other congregations $500.00, total $1,200.00.

Organizations—Sunday Schools, officers and teachers, male 2, female 4, total 6; pupils, male 60, female 70, total 130; advent offering $7.00, lenten offering $30.16, other offerings $239.30; total Sunday School offerings $276.46; Brotherhood of St. Andrew, members 4; St. Andrew's Guild 30 members.

Property—Church, wood, insurance $3,500.00.

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Receipts—For all purposes—Cash on hand, per last report $445.09, pledges and subscriptions $546.59, colections in Church $217.94, interest from investments $21.30, money borrowed $75.00 thank offerings 50 cts., Sunday School $276.46 Guilds or other societies $410.00, contributions from without $600.00, income from other sources $544.81, total receipts for all purposes $3,137.69.

Disbursements—For current expenses—Salary of Rector $1,269.12, other salaries $100.00, ordinary repairs $380.42, interest on debt $4.20, other current expenses $31.47, total for current expenses $1,785.21. *Contributions—For objects in the Parish*—Extraordinary repairs and improvements $125.00, maintaining Sunday Schools $172.26, flood sufferers $200.00, total contributions for objects in the Parish $497,26. *Contributions—For objects in the Diocese*—Salary of Bishops $10.00, diocesan missions $19.35, convocation missions $10.00, widows and orphans, aged and disabled clergy fund $5.00, Sheltering Arms Hospital $13.57, total contributions for objects in the Diocese $57.92. *Contributions—For objects without the Diocese*—Domestic missions general and foreign $28.00, total contributions for objects without the Diocese $28.00.

Financial Summary—Contributions—For objects in the Parish $2,282.47, for objects in the Diocese $57.92, for objects without the Diocese $28.00, total contributions $2,368.39, all money raised by the congregation for curent expenses and for contributions $3,137.69, cash in hand $769.30.

PAROCHIAL REPORT.

Rev. JOHN S. DOUGLAS, address Martinsburg. Trinity Church, Norborne Mission, Martinsburg, Berkeley county. Date of organization 1769. Present minister took charge Oct. 1, 1899.

Church Officers—Church Wardens, Capt. W. B. Colston, C. A. Miller; other Vestrymen, Alexander Parks, John E. Boyd, Edward Rutledge, A. M. Gilbert, Dr. A. Andrews; Registrar, Capt. W. B. Colston, address Martinsburb; Treasurer, Edward Rutledge, address Martinsburg; Superintendent

of Sunday Schools, Edward Rutledge, Martinsburg; Sunday School Secretary and Treasurer, C. A. Miller; lay reader, Edward Rutledge.

Official Acts—Baptism, infants, 11; total, 11; presented for confirmation since last report, 31; marriages, 2; burials, 5; catechisings, 15; public services, Sundays, 96, other days, 73; total, 169; Holy Communon, public, 18, private, 3; total, 21.

Communicants—Number last reported, 152; received by letter, 1; admitted by confirmation, 31; added otherwise, 2; total gain, 34; died, 2; removed without letter, 16; lapsed, 3; total loss, 21; net gain, 13; present number total, 165.

Congregations—Baptized persons connected with Parish, 280; confirmed persons connected with Parish, 180; families, 85; individuals not thus included, 15; whole number of individuals, 295; number sittings in Church, 350; number free sittings, 350; number sittings in Sunday School room, 250.

Rector's Salary—As pledged from this congregation, $800.00; total, $800.00.

Organizations—Sunday Schools, officers and teachers, male, 4; female, 11; total, 15; pupils, male, 40, female, 50; total, 105; advent offering, $25.00; lenten offering, $50.00; other offerings, $31.37; total Sunday School offerings, $106.37; other organizations, the Trinity Church Guild, under which have been working eight different Chapters.

Property—Church, brick, insurance $5,000, value $10,000; rectory, stone, insurance $1,500, value $7,000; Parish house, brick, insurance $2,000, value $5,000; new stable, brick, insurance $500, value $500; organ, insurance $1.800, value $1,800. *Indebtedness, on parish house, stable and approaches, $5,000. Other debts, organ, $108.64.

*$400.00 on hand to be applied on this debt, thus reducing it to $4,600.00.

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Receipts—For all purposes—Cash on hand, per last report, Tr. Guild, $304,87, Tr. Vestry, $78.33; pledges and subscriptions, $1,397.85; collections in Church, $651.84; money borrowed, $3,000.00; Sunday School, $106.37; Woman's Auxiliary, money, $140.16; Woman's Auxiliary boxes, value, $21.83; Guilds, or other societies, $563.30; contributions from without, local, 78.43; total receipts for all purposes, $6,342.92. *Disbursements—For current expenses*—Salary of rector, $800.04; other salaries, $198.67; insurance, $54.00; ordinary repairs, $32.25; interest on debt, $239.79; other current expenses, $250.24; total for current expenses, $1,574.99. *Contributions—For objects in the Parish*—Communion alms, $38.55; maintaining Sunday Schools, $29.30; other objects, $243.94; new parish house and approaches and new brick stable, $3,222.52; total contributions for objects in the Parish, $3,534.31. *Contributions—For objects in the Diocese*—Salary of Bishops, $100.00 permanent fund, $16.77; diocesan missions,

$125.47; convocation missions, $32.84; widows and orphans, aged and disabled clergy fund, $33.71; religious and theological education, $2.41; Sheltering Arms Hospital, $44.59; Bishop's special fund, $20.66; discretion of rector, $8.10; total contributions for objects in the Diocese, $384.55. *Contributions—For objects without the Diocese*—Domestic missions general, $51.16; colored people, $7.74; deaf and dumb, $8.71; through American Church Missionary Society, $30.10; total domestic missions, $97.71; foreign missions general, $137.81, Brazil, $15.06, Cuba, $15.05; total foreign missions, $167.92; American church building fund, $6.73; general clergy relief fund, $30.06; Bible and Prayer Book Society, $6.03; total contributions for objects without the Diocese, $308.45.

Financial Summary—Current expenses raised by congregation as above, $1,574.99. *Contributions*—For objects in the Parish, $534.31; for objects in the Diocese, $384.55; for objects without the Diocese, $308.45; total of contributions, $1,227 31; All money raised by the congregation for current expenses and for contributions, $2,802.30; cash in hand, $540.62.

Remarks—Note. That the cash on hand at the close of report April 30, 1903, was $78.33. To this amount we add at the beginning of this report, the balance of cash on hand held by the Treasurer of the Guild, separate and apart from the Treasurer of the Church. In like manner the balance in hands of Treasurer of the Guild is included in the amount of cash on hand at close of this report, April 30, 1904. While the money raised through the Guild has always been shown in former reports, the balances had not been carried along, and the report was, therefore, incomplete in this respect.

PAROCHIAL REPORT.

Rev. JOHN S. DOUGLAS, address Martinsburg. Christ Church, Bunker Hill Mission, Bunker Hill, Berkeley county. Date of organization, 1769. Present minister took charge Oct. 1, 1899.

Church Officers—Church Warden, Zeph S. Morgan; other Vestrymen, Joseph Morgan, J. K. Cunningham; Registrar, J. K. Cunningham, address Rest, Virginia; Treasurer, Zeph S. Morgan, address Inwood, W. Va.

Official Acts—Public services, Sundays, 18; total 18; Holy Communion, public, 2; total, 2.

Communicants—Number last reported, 7; added otherwise, 2; total gain, 2; removed without letter, 1; total loss, 1; net gain, 1; present number total, 8.

Congregations—Baptized persons connected with Parish, 15; confirmed persons connected with Parish, 7; families, 3; individuals not thus included, 1; number sittings in Church, 200; number free sittings, 200.

Property—Church, brick, value $1,500.00.

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Receipts—For all purposes—Collections in Church, $7.54; total receipts for all purposes, $7.54. *Disbursements—For current expences*—Total for current expenses, $3.97. *Contributions—For objects in the Diocese*—Diocesan missions, $1.57; convocation missions, 59 cts; total contributions for objects in the Diocese, $2.16. *Contributions—For objects without the Diocese*—Foreign missions general, 60 cts., Brazil, 84 cts.; total contributions for objects without the Diocese, $1.44.

Financial Summary—Current expenses raised by congregation as above, $3.97; for objects in the Diocese, $2.16; for objects without the Diocese, $1.44; total of contributions, $3.60; all money raised by the congregation for current expenses and for contributions, $7.57.

PAROCHIAL REPORT.

Rev. CREETUS A. DOWELL, address Sistersville, W. Va. St. Paul's Church, Tyler Parish, Sistersville, Tyler county. Present minister took charge April 266, 1903.

Church Officers—Church Wardens, George F. Durham, George B. Van Ambler; other Vestrymen, F. D. McCoy, Ed. Roome, Geo. B. Stocking, D. E. Thoenen, A. B. Hunt; Registrar, A. B. Hunt, address Sistersville; Treasurer, D. E. Thoenen, address Sistersville, Superintendent of Sunday Schools, Creetus A. Dowell, Sistersville; Sunday School Secretary and Treasurer, Mabel Choderdon.

Official Acts—Baptisms, infants, 5, adults, 8; total, 13; presented for confirmation since last report, 10; marriages, 4; burials, 3; catechisings, 25; public services, Sundays, 97, other days, 70; total 167; Holy Communion, public, 10; total, 10.

Communicants—Number last reported, 32; received by letter, 1; admitted by confirmation, 10; restored to communion, 1; added otherwise, 2; total gain, 14; died, 2; transferred, 1; removed without letter, 2; total loss, 5; net gain, 9; present number total, 41.

Congregations—Baptized persons connected with Parish, 64; confirmed persons connected with Parish, 44; families, 21; number of scattered communicants in your section not connected with any Parish, 3; number sittings in Church, 175; number free sittings, 175.

Rector's Salary—As pledged from this congregation, $800.00; total, $800.00.

Organizations—Sunday Schools, officers and teachers, male, 3; female, 8; total, 11; pupils, male, 29; female, 69; total, 98; advent offering, $7.50; lenten offering, $9.00; other offerings, $47.89; total Sunday School offer-

ings, $64.39; Woman's Auxiliary members, 14; Young Woman's Guild, 16; Woman's Guild, 11.

Property—Church, frame, insurance $1,400, value $3,000; rectory, frame, insurance $2,000, value $3,500; total value, $6,500.

FINANCIAL REPORT.

Receipts—For all purposes—Cash on hand per last report, $78.60; pledges and subscriptions, $777.00; collections in Church, $516.89; Sunday School, $64.39; Woman's Auxiliary money, $42.05; Woman's Auxiliary boxes, value, $21.00; Guilds, or other societies, $335.00; income from other sources, $487.05; total receipts for all purposes, $2,321.98. *Disbursements—For current expenses*—Salary of rector, $800.00; salary of assistant, $222.50; ordinary repairs, $99.53; interest on debt, $20.36; other current expenses, $73.93; total for current expenses, $1,216.32. *Contributions—For objects in the Parish*—Communion alms, $21.44; extraordinary repairs and improvements, $349.28; maintaining Sunday Schools, $54.45; payment on debts for building, etc., $450.00; total contributions for objects in the Parish, $875.17. *Contributions—For objects in the Diocese*—Salary of Bishops, $44.25; permanent fund, $31.89; diocesan missions, $41,22; convocation missions, $2.50; widows and orphans, aged and disabled clergy fund, $9.32; religious and theological education, $7.75; Sheltering Arms Hospital, $11.36; other objects, $24.00; total contributions for objects in the Diocese, $172.29. *Contributions—For objects without the Diocese*—Domestic missions General, $21.30; through American Church Missionary Society, $9.49; total domestic missions, $30.79; foreign missions general, $8.45; Brazil, $9.48; Cuba, $9.48; total foreign missions, $27.41; total contributions for objects without the Diocese, $58.20.

Financial Summary—Current expenses raised by congregation as above, $1,216.32; for objects in the Parish, $875.17; for objects in the Diocese, $172.29; for objects without the Diocese, $58.20; total contributions, $1,105.66; all money raised by the congregation for current expenses and for contributions, $2,321.98.

PAROCHIAL REPORT.

Rev. MAXIMO F. DUTY, address Charles Town. St. Philip's Parish, Charles Town, Jefferson county. Date of organization, 1891. Present minister took charge June, 1903.

Church Officers—Registrar, Philip Jackson, address Charles Town; Treasurer, J. Wesley Tolbert, address Charles Town; Superintendent of Sunday School, B. C. Washington, Charles Town; Sunday School Secretary and Treasurer, B. C. Washington.

Official Acts—Baptisms, infants, 1; Adults, 1; total, 2; burials, 1; public services, Sundays, 104; other days, 64; total, 168; Holy Communion, public, 14; total, 14.

Communicants—Number last reported, 50; removed without letter, 24; lapsed, 3; total loss, 27; net loss, 27; present number, total, 23.

Congregations—Baptized persons connected with Parish, 75; confirmed persons connected with Parish, 23; families, 7; individuals not thus included, 6; whole number of individuals, 23; number free sittings, 250; number sittings in chapel, 250; number sittings in Sunday School room, 250:

Rector's Salary—As pledged from this congregation, $100.00; from general board, $400.00; as pledged from other congregations, $50.00; total, $550.00.

Organizations—Sunday Schools, officers and teachers, male, 2; female, 3; total, 5; pupils, male, 16; female, 23; total, 39; advent offering, $8.21; lenten offering, $4.75; total Sunday School offerings, $12.96.

Property—Chapel, frame, insurance $1,150.00; value $900.00; rectory, frame, value, $525.00; total value, $1,425.00. Indebtedness, due the minister, $56.50; due on diocesan assessment for Bishop's fund, $5.41; total indebtedness, $61.91.

FINANCIAL REPORT.

Receipts—For all purposes—Pledges and subscriptions, $63.36; collections in Church, $37.14; Sunday School, $12.96; Guilds, or other societies, $54.46; income from other sources, $27.36; total receipts for all purposes, $195.28. *Disbursements—For current expenses*—Salary of rector, $31.00; other salaries, $24.00; insurance, $18.00; ordinary repairs, $49.38; other objects, $42.90; total for current expenses, $165.28. *Contributions—For objects in the Parish*—Communion alms, included in "collections in church." *Contributions—For objects in the Diocese*—Salary of Bishops, $10.00; Sheltering Arms Hospital, $1.00; total contributions for objects in the Diocese, $11.00. *Contributions—For objects without the Diocese*—Domestic missions general, $10.00; total domestic missions, $10.00; foreign missions general, $10.00; total foreign missions, $10.00; general clergy relief fund, $1.70; total contributions for objects without the Diocese, $21.70.

Financial Summary—Current expenses raised by congregation as above, $165,28. Contributions for objects in the Diocese, $11.00; for objects without the Diocese, $21.70; total of contributions, $32.70; all money raised by the congregation for current expenses and for contributions, $197.98.

Remarks—The rectory, chapel and school room are very much in need of repairs. The chapel building needs bracing to render it safe. The whole propertyleaks badly.

PAROCHIAL REPORT.

Rev. GEO W. EASTER, address Union, W. Va. All Saints Church, All Saints Parish, Union, Monroe county. Present minister took charge April 18, 1892.

Church Officers—Church Wardens, Jas. W. McNeer, Chas. A. Shanklin; other Vestrymen, Jno. M. Rowan, Jos. D. Logan, A. S. Johnston, E. S. McNeer, Guy A. McClearn; Registrar, A. S. Johnston, address, Union, W. Va.; Treasurer, Chas. A. Shanklin; Superintendent of Sunday School, A. S. Johnston.

Official Acts—Baptisms, infants, 3; Total, 3; marriages, 2; burials, 1; catechisings, 50; public services, Sundays, 95; other days 74;; *total, 169; Holy Communion, public, 15; total, 15.

*Eleven of these services were held at various points in the county.

Communicants—Number last reported, 40; transferred, 1; removed without letter, 4; total loss, 5; net loss, 5; present number total, 35.

Congregations—Baptized persons connected with Parish, 78; confirmed persons connected with Parish, 40; families, 17; individuals not thus included, 6; whole number of individuals, 78; number sittings in church, 180; number free sittings, all.

Rector's Salary—As pledged from this congregation, $450.00; from diocesan missions, $100.00 from general board, $200.00; total, $750.00.

Organizations—Sunday School, officers and teachers, male, 2; female, 1; total, 3; pupils, male, 18; female, 26; total, 44; advent offerings, diocesan missions, $13.36; lenten offerings, general missions, $25.30; diocesan missions, $8.24; Mexican missions, 79 cts.; Sheltering Arms, $1.58; total Sunday School offerings, $49.27. Other organizations, Parish Aid Society.

Property—Church, wood, insurance $1,350, value $2,500; rectory, brick and wood, value $1,200; other property, $250.

FINANCIAL REPORT.

Receipts—For all purposes—Cash on hand at last report, $12.86; pledges and subscriptions, $587.44; collections in church, $275.27; Sunday School, $49.27; Guilds, or other societies, $51.23; total receipts for all purposes, $976.07.

Disbursements—For current expenses—Salary of rector, $450.00; other salaries, $62.00; ordinary repairs, $29.45; other current expenses, $16.49; total for current expenses, $557.94. *Contributions—For objects in the Parish*—Communion alms, so used, $3.30; extraordinary repairs and improvements, $75.31; maintaining Sunday Schools, $5.40; Sunday School Christmas tree, $9.43; Bibles for Sweet Springs Sunday School, $2.60; total contributions for objects in the parish, $96.04. *Contributions—For objects in the Diocese*—Salary of Bishops, $50.00; permanent fund, $9.86; diocesan missions, $100.00; widows and orphans, aged and disabled clergy fund, $17.90;

religious and theological education, $10.01; Sheltering Arms Hospital, $12.11; theological seminary, $3.88; Bishop's special fund, $1.00; other objects, expense account, $5.50; total contributions for objects in the diocese, $210.26. *Contributions—For objects without the Diocese*—Sunday School, $12.65; domestic missions general, 37.36; Indians, $1.73; deaf and dumb, $1.61; Jews, $1.96; through American Church Missionary Society, $1.93; total domestic missions, $44.59; Sunday School, $12.65; foreign missions general, $34.86; Sunday School, 79 cts; for Mexico, $1.79; Brazil, $3.19; Cuba, $3.19; total foreign missions, $43.03; American church building fund, $2.58; general clergy relief fund, $8.60; Bible and Prayer Book Society, $6.97; expense account, 31 cts; total contributions for objects without the Diocese, $106.08.

Financial Summary—Current expenses raised by congregation as above, $557.94; Contributions for objects in the Parish, $96.04; for objects in the Diocese, $210.26; for objects without the Diocese, $106.08; total of contributions, $412.38; all money raised by the congregation for current expenses and for contributions, $970.32; cash in hand, $5.75.

Remarks—This congregation has suffered greatly from deaths and removals. In the twelve years of my rectorship thirty-seven (37) communicants have been added, nine have died, twenty-five have removed and five have been dropped. As stated elsewhere eleven (11) of the 169 services reported were held at various points in the county outside of Union, viz.: Mt. Prospect, 2; Wicklines School House, 3; Sweet Springs, 2; Salt Sulphur, 1; Red Sulphur, 1; Linside, 1; Cashmere, 1.

PAROCHIAL REPORT.

Rev. GEO. W. EASTER, address Union, W. Va. Messiah Church, All Saints Parish, Alderson, Monroe county. Present minister took charge July 1, 1903.

Church Officers—Church Warden, C. W. Vandegrift; Treasurer, C. W. Vandegrift.

Official Acts—Public services, Sundays, 5; total, 5; Holy Communion, public, 1; total, 1.

Communicants—Number last reported, 5; lapsed, 1; total loss, 1; net loss, 1; present number total, 4.

Congregations—Baptized persons connected with Parish, 5; confirmed persons connected with Parish, 5; families, 3; Whole number of individuals, 9; number sittings in Church, 100; number of free sittings, all

Property—Church, wood, value $1,300; other property, $75; total value, $1,375. Indebtedness, due on diocesan assessment for missions, $1.54; due on diocesan assessment for Bishop's fund, $3.92; total indebtedness, $5.46.

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Receipts—For all purposes—Pledges and subscriptions, $12.20; collections in church, $11.03; total receipts for all purposes, $23.23.

Disbursements—For current expenses—Salary of rector, $12.20; total for current expenses, $12.20. *Contributions—For objects in the Diocese*—Salary of Bishops, $2.08; permanent fund, $1.00; diocesan missions, $4.46; total contributions for objects in the Diocese, $7.54. *Contributions—For objects without the Diocese*—Domestic missions general, $1.75; total domestic missions, $1.75; foreign missions general, $1.74; total foreign missions, $1.74; total contributions for objects without the Diocese, $3.49.

Financial Summary—Current expenses raised by congregation as above, $12.20; contributions, for objects in the Diocese, $7.54; for objects without the Diocese, $3.49; total of contributions, $11.03; all money raised by the congregation for current expenses and for contributions, $23,23.

PAROCHIAL REPORT.

Rev. JAMES LOGAN FISH, address Davis, Tucker county, W. Va. St. Barnabas Church, Davis, Tucker county. Date of organization, 1894. Present minister took charge July 9, 1899.

Church Officers—Church Wardens, A. J. McNeill, Robert Knox; other Vestrymen, Dr. W. H. Yeakley, J. M. Smith, John W. Felton, Hanson Walters, H. H. Weaver, H. N. Worden, Christopher Keller; Registrar, A. J. McNeill, address Davis, W. Va.; Treasurer, A. J. McNeill, address Davis, W. Va.; Superintendent of Sunday School, Robt. Knox; Sunday School Secretary and Treasurer, Miss A. E. Kellum.

Official Acts—Baptims, infants, 10; adults, 4; total, 14; presented for confirmation since last report, 6; marriages, 3; burials, 2; catechisings, 20; public services, Sundays, 60; other days, 12; total, 72; Holy Communion, public, 12; total, 12.

Communicants—Number last reported, 24; admitted by confirmation, 6; restored to communion, 2; added otherwise, 7; total gain, 15; removed without letter, 2; total loss, 2; net gain, 13; present number total, 37.

Congregation—Baptized Persons connected with Parish, 62; confirmed persons connected with Parish, 37; families, 19; individuals not thus included, 7; whole number of indivduals, 69; number of scattered communicants in your section not connected with any Parish, 18; number sittings in Church, 120; number free sittings, 120.

Rector's Salary—As pledged from this congregation, $400.00; from general board, $200.00; total, $600.00.

Organizations—Sunday Schools, 1; officers and teachers, male, 2; female,

2; total, 4; pupils, male, 8; female, 17; total, 25; lenten offerings, $6.60; other offerings, $13.84; total Sunday School offerings, $20.44.

Property—Church, wood, insurance, $750.00, value $1,400.00; rectory, wood, insurance $2.500.00, value $3,000.00; total value, $4,400.00. Indebtedness, or rectory, $2,000.00; total indebtedness, $2,000.00.

FINANCIAL REPORT.

Receipts—For all purposes—Pledges and subscriptions, $100.70; collections in Church, $146.00; Sunday School, $20.44; Guilds, or other societies, $161.90; contributions from without, $45.00; total receipts for all purposes, $474.04.

Disbursements—For current expenses—Salary of rector, $214.65; other salaries, $20.00; ordinary repairs, $16.00; interest on debt, $60.00; other current expenses, $65.99; total for current expenses, $376.64. *Contributions—For objects in the Parish*—Extraordinary repairs and improvements to church and rectory, $262.90; maintaining Sunday Schools, $18.00; total contributions for objects in the Parish, $280.90. *Contributions—For objects in the diocese*—Salary of Bishops, $8.00 diocesan missions, $8.00; convocation missions, $2.00; Sheltering Arms Hospital, $2.00; total contributions for objects in the Diocese, $20.00. *Contributions—For objects without the Diocese*—Domestic missions general, $5.00; total domestic missions, $5.00; foreign missions general, $5.00; total foreign missions, $5.00; total contributions for objects without the Diocese, $10.00.

Financial Summary—Contributions, for current expenses, $376.64; for objects in the Parish, $280.90; for ibjects in the Diocese, $20.00; for objects without the Diocese, $10.00; total contributions, $210.90; all money raised by the congregation for current expenses and for contributions, $739.94; cash in hand, $17.86.

Remarks—This report embraces the months from October, 1903 to April 30th, 1904. Rector moved from Elkins to Davis in October.

PAROCHIAL REPORT.

Rev. JAMES LOGAN FISH, address Davis, W. Va. Douglas Mission, Douglas, Tucker county.

Official Acts—Public services, other days, 4.

Communicants—Present number total, 5.

Congregations—Baptized persons connected fith the parish, 11; confirmed persons connected with parish, 5; families, 3.

Remarks—We hold services in school house at Douglas. There are but five communicants. Rector received $25 for all purposes.

PAROCHIAL REPORT.

Rev. JAMES L. FISH, address, Davis. Parsons Mission.

Official Acts—Sundays, 1.

Communicants—Number last reported, 6; present number total, 6.

Congregations—Baptized persons connected with parish, 6; families, 2.

PAROCHIAL REPORT.

Rev. JAMES LOGAN FISH, address Davis. Thomas Mission, Thomas, Tucker county.

Official Acts—Baptisms, infants, 1; public services, Sundays, 4.

Communicants—Present number total, 6.

Congregations—Baptized persons connected with parish, 15; confirmed persons connected with parish, 6.

Remarks—There are six communicants at Thomas; services are held in the Presbyterian church. Rector received $7.00 for past year.

PAROCHIAL REPORT.

Rev. G. A. GIBBONS, address Romney, W. Va. St. Stephens Church, Romney Mission, Hampshire county. Date of organization, 1885. Present minister took charge July 1st, 1885.

Church Officers—Church Wardens, G. W. Parsons, Wm. N. Baird; Treasurer, G. W. Parsons, (Miss Keller, Assistant), address Romney, W. Va.; Superintendent of Sunday Schools, Wm. Rusmisell, Romney, W. Va.; Sunday School Secretary and Treasurer, Mrs. G. W. Parsons.

Official Acts—Baptisms, infants, 2; marriages, 3; catechisings, 3; public services, Sundays, 24; other days, 9; total 33; Holy Communion, public, 5.

Communicants—Number last reported, 25; added otherwise, 1; total gain, 1; removed without letter, 5; total loss, 5; net loss, 4; present number, total, 21.

Congregations—Baptized persons connected with parish, 40; confirmed persons connected with parish, 21; families, 15; individuals not thus included, 5; whole number of individuals, 45; number sittings in church, 200; number of sittings in chapel, 100.

Rector's Salary—As pledged from this congregation, $100.00; from Diocesan Missions, $250.00; as pledged from other congregations, $192.00; from Convocation Missions, $50.00; from American Church Missionary Society, $200.00; total $792.00.

Organizations—Sunday Schools, officers and teachers, male, 1; female, 3;

total, 4; pupils, male, 6; female, 10; total, 16; Advent offering, $2.00; lenten offering, $11.34; total Sunday School offerings, $13.34.

Property—Church, brick, insurance, $1,200; value, $1,800; chapel, wood, insurance, $400; value, $700; rectory, wood, insurance, $1,000; value, $1,900; total insurance, $2,600; total value, $4,400.

FINANCIAL REPORT.

Receipts—For all Purposes—Pledges and subscriptions, $125.00; collections in church, $102.54; thank offerings, $22.00; guilds, $28.72; total receipts for all purposes, $278.26.

Disbursements—For Current Expenses—Salary of rector, $100.00; other salaries, $22.00; insurance, $34.50; ordinary repairs, $5.75; other current expenses, $5.95; total curent expenses, $168.20. *Contributions—For Objects in the Parish*—Communion alms, $2.00; extraordinary repairs and improvements, $22.97; other objects, rectory improvements, $22.00; total contributions for objects in the parish, $46.97. *Contributions—For Objects in the Diocese*—Salary of Bishops, $15.00; Diocesan Missions, $15.00; Convocation Missions, $5.00; Sheltering Arms Hospital, $1.75; total contributions for objects in the Diocese, $36.75. *Contributions—For Objects Without the Diocese*—Through American Church Missionary Society, $7.50; total Domestic Missions, $7.50; through American Church Missionary Society, $7.50; total Foreign Missions, $7.50; Sunday School for Domestic and Foreign Missions, $11.34; total contributions for objects without the diocese, $26.34.

Financial Summary—Current expenses raised by congregation as above, $168.20. *Contributions*—For objects in the parish, $46.97; for objects in the diocese, $36.75; for objects without the diocese, $26.34; total contributions, $110.06; all money raised by the congregation for current expenses and for contributions, $278.26.

Remarks—The chapel mentioned in this report is Zion on North River.

PAROCHIAL REPORT.

Rev. GEO. A. GIBBONS, address Romney, W. Va. Emmanuel Church, Emmanuel Parish, Moorefield, Hardy county. Date of organization, 1878. Present minister tok charge July 1, 1885.

Church Officers—Church Wardens, C. James Lobb, Thomas Lakin; other vestrymen, Wm. H. Shearer, Lisle Gamble, M. D., P. W. Inskeep; Registrar, Wm. H. Shearer, address Moorefield, W. Va.; Treasurer, Wm. H. Shearer, (Ida V. Wood, Assistant), address Moorefield, W. Va.; Superintendent of Sunday Schools, C. J. Lobb, Moorefield, W. Va.; Sunday School Secretary and Treasurer, Mrs. Annie W. Shearer.

Official Acts—Baptisms, infants, 3; catechisings, 3; public services, Sundays, 48; other days, 11; total, 62; Holy Communion, public, 6.

Communicants—Number last reported, 30; present number total, 30.

Congregations—Baptized persons connected with parish, 55; confirmed persons connected with parish, 30; families, 18; individuals not thus included, 6; number sittings in church, 200; number free sittings, 200; number sittings in Sunday School room, 125.

Rector's Salary—As pledged from this congregation, $150.00; from Diocesan Missions, $250.00; as pledged from other congregations, $142.00; from Convocation Missions, $50.00; from American Church Missionary Society, $200.00; total $792.00.

Organizations—Sunday Sschools, officers and teachers, male, 1; female, 4; total, 5; pupils, male, 9; female, 11; total, 20; Advent offering, $2.00; Lenten offering, $2.50; total Sunday School offerings, $4.50.

Property—Church, frame, insurance, $1,200; value, $3,000; rectory, frame, insurance, $1,200; value, $2,000; Sunday School room, insurance, $750; value, $1,400; total insurance, $3,150; total value, $6,400.

FINANCIAL REPORT.

Receipts—For all Purposes—Pledges and subscriptions, $150.00; collections in church, $43.82; Sunday School, $4.50; guilds or other societies, $147.00; total receipts for all purposes, $345.32.

Disbursements—For Current Expenses—Salary of rector, $150.00; other salaries, $30.00; insurance, $37.00; ordinary repairs, $60.00; total for current expenses, $237.00. *Contributions—For Objects in the Parish*—Communion alms, $3.00; extraordinary repairs and improvements, $30.00; total contributions for objects in the parish, $33.00. *Contributions—For Objects in the Diocese*—Salary of Bishops, $20.00; Permanent Fund, $1.05; Diocesan Missions, $20.00; Convocation Missions, $9.82; Widows and Orphans, Aged and Disabled Clergy Fund, $1.85; Religious and Theological Education, $1.65; Sheltering Arms Hospital, $1.00; total contributions for objects in the diocese, $55.32. *Contributions—For Objects Without the Diocese*—Through American Church Missionary Society, $10.00; total Domestic Missions, $10.00; Through American Church Missionary Society, $10.00; total Foreign Missions, $10.00; total contributions for objects without the diocese, $20.00.

Financial Summary—Current expenses raised by congregation as above, $237.00. *Contributions*—For objects in the parish, $33.00; for objects in the diocese, $55.32; for objects without the diocese, $20.00; total contribution; $108.32; all money raised by the congregation for current expenses and for contributions, $345.32; cash in hand, $5.19.

PAROCHIAL REPORT.

Rev. G. A. GIBBONS, address Romney, W. Va. Epiphany Church, Oko-

noko Mission, Okonoko, Hampshire county. Date of organization, 1886. Present minister took charge 1885.

Church Officers—Church Warden, Mahlon H. Russell; Registrar, E. W. McGill, address Woodrow, Morgan county, W. Va.; Treasurer, Henry M. Russell, address Okonoko, W. Va.

Official Acts—Public services, Sundays, 24; Holy Communion, public, 4.

Communicants—Number last reported, 10; present number total, 10.

Congregations—Baptized persons connected with the parish, 16; confirmed persons connected with parish, 10; families, 4; whole number of individuals, 16; number of sittings in church, 150.

Rector's Salary—As pledged from this congregation, $42.00; from Diocesan Missions, $250.00; as pledged from other congregations, $250.00; from Convocation Missions, $50.00; from American Church Missionary Society, $200.00; total, $792.00.

FINANCIAL REPORT.

Receipts—For all Purposes—Pledges and subscriptions, $42.00; collections in church, $33.50; total receipts for all purposes, $75.50.

Disbursements—For Current Expenses—Salary of rector, $42.00. *Contributions—For Objects in the Parish*—Communion alms, $2.00; total contributions for objects in the parish, $2.00. *Contributions—For Objects in the Diocese*—Salary of Bishops, $10.00; Diocesan Missions, $10.00; Widows and Orphans, Aged and Disabled Clergy Fund, $2.00; Religious and Theological Education, $2.00; Sheltering Arms Hospital, $1.50; total contributions for objects in the diocese, $25.50. *Contributions—For Objects Without the Diocese*—Through American Church Missionary Society, $3.00; total Domestic Missions, $3.00; Through American Church Missionary Society, Foreign Missions, $3.00; total Foreign Missions, $3.00; total contributions for objects without the diocese, $6.00.

Financial Summary—Current expenses raised by congregation as above, $42.00. *Contributions*—For objects in the parish, $2.00; for objects in the diocese, $25.50; for objects without the diocese, $6.00; total contributions, $33.50; all money raised by the congregation for current expenses and for contributions, $75.50; cash in hand, $2.19.

PAROCHIAL REPORT.

Rev. G. A. GIBBONS, address Romney, W. Va. Paw Paw Mission, Paw Paw, Morgan county. Present minister took charge 1893.

Church Officers—Church Warden, Thomas Korns; Treasurer, Thomas Korns, address Paw Paw, Morgan county, W. Va.

Official Acts—Public services, other days, 12; Holy Communion, public, 3.

Communicants—Number last reported, 6; added otherwise, 2; total gain, 2; removed without letter, 2; total loss, 2; present number total, 6.

Congregations—Baptized persons connected with parish, 6; confirmed persons connected with the parish, 6; families, 3; individuals not thus included, 2; whole number of individuals, 8.

FINANCIAL REPORT.

Receipts—For all Purposes—Pledges and subscriptions, $40.50; collections in church, $12.30; total receipts for all purposes, $52.80.

Disbursements—For Current Expenses—Salary of rector, $40.50. *Contributions—For Objects in the Diocese*—Permanent Fund, $1.00; Diocesan Missions, $3.00; Religious and Theological Education, $3.00; total contributions for objects in the diocese, $7.00. *Contributions—For Objects Without the Diocese*—Domestic Missions General, $1.50; Through American Church Missionary Society, $2.30; total Domestic Missions, $3.80; Foreign Missions General, $1.50; total Foreign Missions, $1.50; total contributions for objects without the diocese, $5.30.

Financial Summary—Current expenses raised by congregation as above, $40.50. *Contributions*—For objects in the diocese, $7.00; for objects without the diocese, $5.30; total contributions, $12.30; all money raised by the congregation for current expenses and for contributions, $52.80; cash in hand, $3.00.

PAROCHIAL REPORT.

Rev. J. HOWARD GIBBONS, address Point Pleasant, W. Va. Christ Church, Point Pleasant Parish, Point Pleasant, Mason county. Date of organization 1851. Present minister took charge April 1, 1901.

Church Officers—Church Wardens, Hon. P. C. Eastham, Hon. J. W. English; other vestrymen, Hon. J. S. Spencer, Hon. Rankin Wiley, Col. J. P. R. B. Smith, L. S. Pomeroy, C. C. Bowyer, J. W. C. Heslop; Registrar, Hon. J. W. English, address Point Pleasant, W. Va.; Treasurer, C. C. Bowyer, address Point Pleasant, W. Va.; Superintendent of Sunday Schools, Hon. P. C. Eastham, Point Pleasant, W. Va.; Sunday School Secretary and Treasurer, Miss K. B. Stribbling.

Official Acts—Baptisms, infants, 4; adults, 1; total, 5; presented for confirmation since last report, 4; marriages, 3; burials, 3; catechisings, 12; public services, Sundays, 61; other days, 64; total, 125; Holy Communion, public, 13.

Communicants—Number last reported, 58; admitted by confirmation, 4; added otherwise, 1; total gain, 5; died, 1; total loss, 1; net gain, 4; present number total, 62.

Congregation—Baptized persons connected with parish, 90; confirmed persons connected with parish, 62; families, 35; number of scattered communicants in your section not connected with any parish, 1; number of sittings in church (free), 250.

Rector's Salary—As pledged from this congregation, $350.00; from Diocesan missions, $50.00; as pledged from other congregations, $200.00; from American Church Missionary Society, $150.00; total, $750.00.

Organizations—Sunday Schools, officers and teachers, male, 1; female, 3; total, 4; pupils, male, 15; female, 10; total, 25; Advent offering, $5.61; Lenten offering, $8.00; other offerings, $19.84; total Sunday School offerings, $33.45; Woman's Auziliary, 16; Chancel Chapter, 9; Ladies' Guild, 29; Babies Branch Woman's Auxiliary, 13.

Property—Church, brick, insurance, $4,000; value, $6,000; rectory, frame, insurance, $1,000; value, $1,200; total insurance, $5,000; total value, $7,200.

FINANCIAL REPORT.

Receipts—For all Purposes—Pledges and subscriptions, $500.00; collections in church, $95.52; Sunday School, $33.45; Woman's Auxiliary, money, $27.30; Woman's Auxiliary, box, value, $25.00; guilds, or other societies, $360.92; total receipts for all purposes, $1,042.19.

Disbursements—For Current Expenses—Salary of rector, $350.00; other salaries, $45.95; other objects, $34.77; total for current expenses, $430.72. *Contributions—For Objects in the Parish*—Communion alms, $28.77; extraordinary repairs and improvements, $64.20; maintaining Sunday Schools, $15.59; other objects, $160.12; total contributions for objects in the parish, $268.68. *Contributions—For Objects in the Diocese*—Salary of Bishops, $50.00; Diocesan Missions, $55.61; Convocation Missions, $2.50; Sheltering Arms Hospital, $10.50; other objects, $18.99; box to Sheltering Arms Hospital, $25.00; total contributions for objects in the diocese, $162.60. *Contributions—For Objects Without the Diocese*—Domestic Missions General, $4.50; colored people, $2.50; Indians, $2.50; deaf and dumb, $2.50; Jews, $2.50; through American Church Missionary Society, $10.00; total Domestic Missions, $24.50; Foreign Missions General, $4.50; for China, $2.50; for Africa, $2.50; for Japan, $2.50; for Hayti, $2.50; for Mexico, $2.50; for Philippines, $2.50; Porto Rico, $2.50; Through American Church Missionary Society, $4.00; Brazil, $5.00; Cuba, $2.50; total Foreign Missions, $33.50; other objects, $5.00; United offering Woman's Auxiliary, $10.70; total contributions for Objects without the diocese, $73.70.

Financial Summary—Current expenses raised by congregation as above, $430.72. *Contributions*—For objects in the parish, $268.68; for objects in the diocese, $162.60; for objects without the diocese, $73.70; total of contributions, $504.98; all money raised by the congregation for current expenses and for contributions, $935.70; cash in hand, $106.49.

PAROCHIAL REPORT.

Rev. J. HOWARD GIBBONS, address Point Pleasant, W. Va. Bruce Chapel, Mason county. Present minister took charge April 1, 1901.

Church Officers—Vestrymen, J. M. H. Beale, E. L. Neale, J. Moore; Treasurer, Miss Mary Beale, address Beale, W. Va.; Superintendent of Sunday Schools, Miss Vause Beale, Beale, W. Va.; Sunday School Secretary and Treasurer, Miss Mary Beale.

Official Acts—Baptisms, infants, 1; adults, 1; total, 2; presented for confirmation since last report, 5; catechisings, 10; public services, Sundays, 25; other days, 7; total, 32; Holy Communion, public, 4.

Communicants—Number last reported, 21; admitted by confirmation, 5; total gain, 5; net gain, 5; present number total, 26.

Congregations—Baptized persons connected with parish, 60; confirmed persons connected with parish, 26; families, 15; number sittings in church, (free), 125.

Rector's Salary—As pledged from this congregation, $150.00.

Organizations—Sunday Schools, officers and teachers, female, 3; pupils, male, 14; female, 21; total 35; Advent offering, $3.25; Lenten offering, $3.00; other offering, $5.00; total Sunday School offerings, $11.25; Industrial Schools, officers and teachers, 3; scholars, 25; total, 28.

Property—chapel, brick, insurance, $1,000; value, $1,500; total insurance, $1,000; total value, $1,500.

FINANCIAL REPORT.

Receipts—For all Purposes—Pledges and subscriptions $162.00; colletions in Church, $24.05; thank offerings, $5.00; Sunday School, $15.00; total receipts for all purposes, $206.05.

Disbursements—For Current Expenses—Salary of rector, $150.00. *Contributions—For Objects in the Parish*—Extraordinary repairs and improvements, $5.00; maintaining Sunday Schools, $4.00; other objects, $3.75; total contributions for objects in the parish, $12.75. *Contributions—For Objects in the Diocese*—Salary of Bishops, $12.00; Diocesan Missions, $15.25; total contributions for objects in the diocese, $27.25. *Contributions—For Objects Without the Diocese*—Domestic Missions General, $2.00; colored people, 50 cents; Indians, 50 cents; deaf and dumb, 50 cents; Jews, 50 cents; through American Church Missionary Society, $2.00; total Domestic Missions, $6.00; Foreign Missions General, 50 cents; for China, 50 cents; for Africa, 50 cents, for Japan, 50 cents; for Hayti, 50 cents; for Mexico, 50 cents; for Philippines, 50 cents; Porto Rico, 50 cents; Through American Church Missionary Society, $1.50; Brazil, $2.00; Cuba, $1.50; total Foreign Missions, $9.00; total contributions for objects without the diocese, $15.00.

Financial Summary—Current expenses raised by congregation as above, $150.00. *Contributions*—For objects in the parish, $12.75; for objects in

the diocese, $27.25; for objects without the diocese, $15.00; all money raised by the congregation for current expenses and for contributions, $205.00; cash in hand, $1.05.

Remarks—Aid is received from the D. M. S. of W. Va., and the A. C. M. S. for *all* work under my charge and is reported only under the report for Christ Church, Point Peasant.

PAROCHIAL REPORT.

Rev. J. HOWARD GIBBONS, address Point Pleasant, W. Va. Spilman Chapel, Spilman, Mason county. Present minister took charge April 1, 1901.

Church Officers—Vestrymen, H. E. Spilman; Treasurer, H. E. Spilman, address, Spilman, W. Va.; Superintendent of Sunday Schools, Miss Virginia Behan, W. Columbia, W. Va.; Sunday School Secretary and Treasurer, Mrs. M. G. Tyler.

Official Acts—Baptisms, infants, 4; adults, 1; total, 5; presented for confirmation since last report, 5; burials, 1; catechisings, 6; public services, Sundays, 13; other days, 14; total, 27; Holy Communion, public, 6.

Communicants—Number last reported, 19; admitted by confirmation, 5; total gain 5; died, 1; total loss, 1; net gain, 4; present number total, 23.

Congregations—Baptized persons connected with parish, 40; confirmed persons connected with parish, 23; families, 15; number of sittings in church, (free) 125.

Rector's Salary—As pledged from this congregation, $50.00.

Organizations—Sunday Schools, officers and teachers, female, 3; pupils, male, 12; female, 20; total, 32; Advent offering, $3.64; Lenten offering, $6.17; other offerings, $16.24; total Sunday School offerings, $26.05.

Property—Chapel, brick, insurance, $1,500; value, $1,800; total insurance, $1,500; total value, $1,800.

FINANCIAL REPORT.

Receipts—For all Purposes—Cash on hand, per last report, 53 cents; pledges and subscriptions, $50.00; collections in church, $48.33; thank offerings, $27.75; Sunday School, $26.05; total receipts for all purposes, $152.66.

Disbursements—For Current Expenses—Salary of rector, $50.00; other current expenses, $3.00; other objects, $5.25; total for current expenses, $58.25. *Contributions—For Objects in the Parish*—Extraordinary repairs and improvements, $27.75; maintaining Sunday Schools, $15.81; total contributions for objects in the parish, $43.56. *Contributions—For Objects in the Diocese*—Salary of Bishops, $10.00; Diocesan Missions, $15.64; Convo-

cation Missions, $2.00; total contributions for objects in the diocese, $27.64. *Contributions—For Objects Without the Docese*—Domestic Missions General, $2.50; colored people, 50 cents; Indians, 50 cents; deaf and dumb, 50 cents; Jews, 50 cents; Through American Church Missionary Society, $1.50; total Domestic Missions, $5.50; Foreign Missions General, $2.00; for China, 50 cents; for Africa, 50 cents; for Japan, 50 cents; for Hayti, 50 cents; for Mexico, 50 cents; for Philippines, 50 cents; Porto Rico, 50 cents; Through American Church Missionary Society, $3.17; Brazil, $1.50; Cuba, 50 cents; total Foreign Missions, $10.67; American Church Building Fund, $3.00; total contributions for objects without the diocese, $19.17.

Financial Summary—Current Expenses raised by congregation as above, $58.25. *Contributions*—For objects in the parish, $43.56; for objects in the diocese, $27.64; for objects wthout the diocese, $19.17; total of contributions, $90.37; all money raised by the congregation for current expenses and for contributions, $148.62; cash in hand, $4.04.

Remarks—Aid is received from the D. M. S. of W. Va., and the A. C. M. S. lor *all* work under my charge, and is reported only under the report for Christ Church, Point Pleasant.

Mason City—2 Sunday services, 1 burial; offerings, $3.00 for District Missions.

Morgan's—1 week day service.

Winfield—1 week day service, 1 adult baptism, 2 persons confirmed, 3 communicants, offerings, Dis. Missions, $7.00; General Missions, $1.00; Episcopal Fund, $1.00; total, $9.00.

PAROCHIAL REPORT.

Rev. JNO. SHACKELFORD GIBSON, address Huntington. Trinity Church, Cabell Parish, Huntington, Cabell county. Date of organization 1872. Present minister took charge 1892.

Church Officers—Church Wardens, Cameron L. Thompson, Edmund Sehon; other vestrymen, F. D. Enslow, G. A. Northcott, C. D. Emmons, F. D. Fuller, E. S. Aleshire, T. L. Trimmer, F. R. Van Antwerp, John Walton Ensign, Robt. L. Archer, Harry Chambers; Registrar, C. D. Emmons, address Huntington; Treasurer, G. A. Northcott, address Huntington; Superintendent of Sunday Schools, G. A. Northcott, Huntington; Sunday School Secretary and Treasurer, Herman D. Jenkins.

Official Acts—Baptisms, infants, 5; adults, 6; total, 11; presented for confirmation since last report, 11; marriages, 4; burials, 36; catechisings, 40; public services, Sundays, 125; other days, 75; total, 200; Holy Communion, public, 25; private, 2; total, 27.

Communicants—Number last reported, 192; received by letter, 4; admitted by confirmation, 11; added otherwise, 17; total gain, 32; died, 2;

removed without letter, 12; lapsed, 10; total loss, 24; net gain, 8; present number total, 200.

Congregations—Baptized persons connected with parish, 420; confirmed persons connected with parish, 215; families, 70; individuals not thus included, 75; whole number of individuals, 450; number of sittings in church, (all free), 425; number of sittings, in chapel, 75.

Rector's Salary—As pledged from this congregation, no pledge; as pledged from other congregations, no pledge.

Organizations—Sunday Schools, officers and teachers, male, 4; female, 7; total, 11; pupils, male and femals, 80; Advent offering, $15.00; Lenten offering, $34.00; other offerings, $100.00; total Sunday School offerings, $149.00; Woman's Auxiliary, members, 11; Junior Auxiliary, members, 10; Ladies' Aid Society, members, 40; Trinity Guild of Young Ladies, members, 30; Boys' Missionary Society, members, 5.

Property—Church, brick, insurance, $8,000; value, $20,500; rectory, brick, insurance, $3,000; value, $6,000; total value, $26,500.

FINANCIAL REPORT.

Receipts—For all Purposes—Cash on hand, per last report, $75.00; pledges and subscriptions, $2,257.81; collections in church, $600.00; Sunday School, $149.00; Woman's and Junior Auxiliary, money, $107.00; Woman's Auxiliary, boxes, value, $146.00; Guilds or other societies, $663.00; total, receipts for all purposes, $3,997.81.

Disbursements—For Current Expenses—Salary of rector, $1,200.00; other salaries, $400.00; ordinary repairs, $25.00; other current expenses, $175.00; other objects, $395.00; total for current expenses, $2,195.00. *Contributions—For Objects in the Parish*—Communion alms, $65.00; extraordinary repairs and improvements, $750.00; maintaining Sunday Schools, $100.00; other objects, $30.00; total contributions for objects in the parish, $945.00. *Contributions—For Objects in the Diocese*—Salary of Bishops, $100.00; Permanent Fund, $2.75; Diocesan Missions, $75.00; Convocation Missions, $10.00; Widows and Orphans, Aged and Disabled Clergy Fund, $25.00; Religious and Theological Education, $5.00; Sheltering Arms Hospital, $132.95; Bishop's Special Fund, $50.00; Woman's Missionary, $16.00; total contributions for objects in the diocese, $416.70. *Contributions—For Objects Without the Diocese*—Domestic Missions General, $40.25; deaf and dumb, $10.56; Through American Church Missionary Society, $7.50; total Domestic Missions, $58.31; Foreign Missions General, $40.00; Brazil, $15.00; Cuba, $2.50; total Foreign Missions, $57.50; Specials, boxes, &c., $78.00; American Church Building Fund, $2.00; General Clergy Relief Fund, $2.00; total contributions for objects without the diocese, $197.81.

Financial Summary—Current Expenses raised by congregation as above, $2,195.00. *Contributions*—For objects in the parish, $945.00; for objects in the diocese, $416.70; for objects without the diocese, $197.81; total of con-

tributions, $1,559.51; all money raised by the congregation for current expenses and for contributions, $3,754.51; cash (in hands of societies), $243.00.

Remarks—Six of the persons confirmed, four men and two women, are deaf mutes. The vestry used enough of the Easter offering to bring the payments on the rector's salary up to $1,200, the sum promised when he accepted the rectorship.

PAROCHIAL REPORT.

Rev. JNO. SHACKELFORD GIBSON, address Huntington. Grace Church, Wayne Mission, Kenova, Wayne county. Date of organization, 1890. Present minister took charge, 1892.

Church Officers—Church Warden, Charles C. Coe; other vestrymen, Frank R. Peck, R. Ney Williams; Registrar, Frank R. Peck, address Kenova; Treasurer, Charles C. Coe, address, Kenova.

Official Acts—Presented for confirmation since last report, 2; public services, Sunday, 45; other days, 8; total, 53; Holy Communion, public, 8.

Communicants—Number last reported, 8; admitted by confirmation, 2; total gain, 2; transferred, 1; not otherwise accounted for, 1; total loss, 2; present number total, 8.

Congregations—Baptized persons connected with parish, 22; confirmed persons connected with parish, 9; families, 7; individuals not thus included, 2; whole number of individuals, 23; number sittings in church, 150; number free sittings, 150.

Rector's Salary—As pledged from this congregation, no pledge.

Organizations—Advent offerings, 68 cents; Lenten offerings, $1.01; total Sunday School offerings, $1.69.

Property—Church, insurance, $1,800; value, $2,400.

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Receipts—For all Purposes—Cash on hand, per last report, $8.55; pledges and subscriptions, $157.00; collections in church, $83.13; Sunday School, $1.69; contributions from without, $43.86; total receipts for all purposes, $294.23.

Disbursements—For Current Expenses—Salary of rector, $160.00; ordinary repairs, $8.60; other current expenses, $1.60; total for current expenses, $170.20. *Contributions—For Objects in the Parish*—Extraordinary repairs and improvements, $61.64; total contributions for objects in the parish, $61.64. *Contributions—For Objects in the Diocese*—Salary of Bishops, $5.00; Diocesan Missions, $8.18; Widows and Orphans, Aged and

Disabled Clergy Fund, $3.20; Sheltering Arms Hospital, $3.00; total contributions for objects in the diocese, $19.38. *Contributions—For Objects Without the Diocese*—Foreign Missions General, $1.01; total Foreign Missions, $1.01; American Church Building Fund, $1.75; General Clergy Relief Fund, $2.00; total contributions for objects without the diocese, $4.76.

Financial Summary—Current Expenses raised by congregation as above, $294.23. *Contributions*—For objects in the parish, $231. 84; for objects in the diocese, $19.38; for objects without the diocese, $4.76; total of contributions, $255.98; cash in hand, $38.25.

Remarks—The chapel was repainted in the spring of 1904, and by town ordinance was required, in common with all property owners on Chestnut street, to lay a concrete walk in front of the property. Conditions are at present very much depressed owing to the N. & W. R. R. having in November, 1903, removed its offices and shops to Portsmouth, O., from Kenova. This financial report was prepared by Mr. C. C. Coe, Treasurer.

PAROCHIAL REPORT.

Rev. JNO. SHACKELFORD GIBSON, address Huntington. Mingo Mission, Williamson, Mingo county. Date of organization, unorganized. Present minister took charge 1902.

Church Officers—Treasurer, B. Randolph Bias, address Williamson, W. Va.; Superintendent of Sunday Schools, J. Randall Strange, Williamson, W. Va.

Official Acts—Baptisms, infants, 2; presented for confirmation since last report, 3; public services, Sundays, 2; other days, 12; total, 14; Holy Communion, public, 4.

Communicants—Number last reported, 6; received by letter, 2; admitted by confirmation, 3; added otherwise, 2; total gain, 7; transferred, 1; removed without letter, 1; total loss, 2; net gain, 5; present number total, 11.

Congregations—Baptized persons connected with parish, 28; confirmed persons connected with parish, 14; families, 7; individuals not thus included, 6; whole number of individuals, 35; number of scattered communicants in your section not connected with any parish, 3.

Rector's Salary—As pledged from this congregation, no pledge.

Organizations—Sunday Schools, officers and teachers, male, 2; female, 2; total, 4; pupils, male and female, 15; total, 19; Lenten offerings, $2,10; total Sunday School offerings, $2.10.

Property—Money raised from outside sources, $48.00; for what objects used, $10.00 put to the building fund, $2.00 to purchase books, balance in hands of Mr. Strange, to whom it was sent from St. Ann's, Annapolis, Md., his parish chapel.

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Receipts—For all Purposes—Cash on hand, per last report, $8.80; pledges and subscriptions, $103.50; collections in church, $22.64; Sunday School, $2.10; contributions from without, $48.00; total receipts for all purposes, $185.04.

Disbursements—For Current Expenses—Salary of rector, $103.50; other current expenses, $4.05; other objects, recording deed, $2.00; total for current expenses, $109.55. *Contributions—For Objects in the Diocese*—Diocesan Missions, $5.22; total contributions for objects in the diocese, $5.22. *Contributions—For Objects Without the Diocese*—Domestic Missions General, $1.36; total Domestic Missions, $1.36; Foreign Missions General, $1.35; total Foreign Missions, $1.35; Bible and Prayer Book Society, $2.00; total contributions for objects without the diocese, $4.71.

Financial Summary—Current Expenses raised by congregation as above, $109.55. *Contributions*—For objects in the diocese, $5.22; for objects without the diocese, $4.71; total contributions, $9.93; all money raised by the congregation for current expenses and for contributions, $119.48; cash in hand, $10.37.

Remarks—Services are held one a month on other days than Sunday. Presbyterian church is loaned us. Williamson has 2,000 population, is growing and we ought to have a church. $650.00 was subscribed by the people of the town to help our building, and is pledged to be paid July 1st, 1904. I have received $11.00 in cash and a pledge of $50, making about $700, or about half of such sum as will be required at present prices to erect anything of a church.

PAROCHIAL REPORT.

Rev. ANDREW GLASSELL GRINNAN, address Weston, W. Va. St. Paul's Church, St. Paul's Parish, Weston, Lewis county. Date of organization 1848. Present minister took charge 1900.

Church Officers—Church Wardens, H. C. Bailey, R. H. Harrison; other vestrymen, A. H. Kunst, E. G. Davisson, Louis Bennett, W. Ralston, J. S. Mitchell, M. B. Ralston, A. A. Warren, E. M. Vandervort; Registrar and Treasurer, E. M. Vandervort, address Weston, W. Va.

Official Acts—Baptisms, infants, 6; marriages, 1; burials, 13; public services, Sundays, 78; other days, 41; total, 119; Holy Communion, public, 15; private, 2; total, 17.

Communicants—Number last reported, 81; added otherwise, 5; died, 2; not otherwise accounted for, 9; total loss, 11; net loss, 6; present number total, 75.

Congregations—Baptized persons connected with parish, 210; confirmed

persons connected with parish, 110; families, 60; individuals not thus included, 21; whole number of individuals, 210; number of scattered communicants in your section not connected with any parish, 3; number free sittings, 300; number sittings in Sunday School room, 100.

Rector's Salary—As pledged from this congregation, $800.

Organizations—Sunday Schools, officers and teachers, female, 7; pupils, male, 26; female, 31; total, 57; Advent offering, $25.04; Lenten offering, $29.36; other offerings, $17.15; Spirit of Missions, $1.00; total Sunday School offerings, $72.55; Woman's Auxiliary, members, 18; Guild of St. Paul's, 20; Daughters of the King, 9.

Property—Church, stone, insurance, $5,000; value, $15,000; rectory, wood, insurance, $1,000; value, $2,000.

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Receipts—For all Purposes—Cash on hand, per last report, $180.93; pledges and subscriptions, $787.53; collections in church, $420.37; Sunday School, $72.55; Woman's Auxiliary, money, $40.21; Woman's Auxiliary, boxes, value, $28.26; Guilds, or other societies, $135.48; income from other sources, $64.50; total receipts for all purposes, $1,728.83.

Disbursements—For Current Expenses—Salary of rector, $800.04; other current expenses, $161.98; total for current expenses, $962.02. *Contributions—For Objects in the Parish*—Communion alms, $6.00; extraordinary repairs and improvements, $149.29; other objects, $50.11; total contributions for objects in the parish, $205.40. *Contributions—For Objects in the Diocese*—Salary of Bishops, $80.00; Permanent Fund, $6.37; Diocesan Missions, $75.00; Convocation Missions, $12.50; Widows and Orphans, Aged and Disabled Clergy Fund, $19.90; Sheltering Arms Hospital, $23.61; Bishop's Special Fund, $14.00; box for Sheltering Arms, $28.26; Woman's Missionary, $9.50; total contributions for objects in the diocese, $269.14. *Contributions—For Objects Without the Diocese*—Domestic Missions General, $32.30; total Domestic Missions, $32.30; Foreign Missions General, $32.30; Brazil, $7.00; total Foreign Missions, $39.30; other objects, $8.00; total contributions for objects without the diocese, $79.60.

Financial Summary—Current Expenses raised by congregation as above, $962.02. *Contributions*—For objects in the parish, $205.40; for objects in the diocese, $269.14; for objects without the diocese, $79.60; total of contributions, $554.14; all money raised by the congregation for current expenses and for contributions, $1,516.16; cash in hand, $212.67.

Remarks—I conducted 4 services at the Hospital for the Insane and also visited Spruce Chapel, Buckhannon, Richwood, Centralia, Camden-on-Gauley, Sutton, Burnsville and Glenville.

PAROCHIAL REPORT.

Rev. ANDREW GLASSELL GRINNAN, address Weston, W. Va. St.

Paul's Chapel, St. Paul's Mission, Lewis county. Date of organization 1903. Present minister took charge 1900.

Church Officers—Treasurer, John White Peterson, address Weston, W. Va.; Superintendent of Sunday Schools, Miss Hila McBride, Weston, W. Va.

Official Acts—Baptisms, infants, 1; adults, 2; total, 3; presented for confirmation since last report, 4; public service, Sundays, 20; other days, 10; total, 30; Holy Communion, public, 4.

Communicants—Number last reported, 9; admitted by confirmation, 4; gain, 4; present number total, 13.

Congregations—Baptized persons connected with parish, 20; confirmed persons connected with parish, 13; families, 7; whole number of individuals, 27; number sittings in church, 120; number free sittings, 120.

Rector's Salary—From Diocesan Missions, $50.00.

Organizations—Sunday Schools, officers and teachers, female, 3; total, 3; pupils, male, 15; Female, 15; total, 30; total Sunday School offerings, $3.78.

Property—Chapel, wood, insurance $750, value $1.000; one-half acre ground.

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Receipts—For all purposes—Cash on hand, per last report, $29.28; pledges and subscriptions, $56.05; collections in Church, $41.19; Sunday School, $3.78; income from other sources, $33.70; total receipts for all purposes, $164.00.

Disbursements——For current expenses—Salary of rector, $26.05; insurance, $15.00; total for current expenses, $41.05. *Contributions—For objects in the Parish*—Maintaining Sunday Schools, $3.77; payment on debts for building, etc., $86.93; total contributions for objects in the Parish, $90.73. *Contributions—For objects in the Diocese*—Widows and orphans, aged and disabled clergy fund, $2.00; Sheltering Arms Hospital, $1.70; total contributions for objects in the diocese, $3.70. *Contributions—For objects without the Diocese*—American church building fund, $3.00; total contributions for objects without the Diocese, $3.00.

Financial Summary—Current Expenses raised by congregation as above, $41.05; contributions for objects in the Parish, $90.73; for objects in the Diocese, $3.70; for objects without the Diocese, $3.00; total of contributions, $97.43; all money raised by the congregation for current expenses and for contributions, $138.48; cash in hand, $25.52.

Remarks—The chapel was consecrated Sunday, Oct. 4, by Bishop Gravatt. A stone font and solid silver mission communion service was presented to the chapel.

PAROCHIAL REPORT.

Rev. ANDREW GLASSELL GRINNAN. St. John's Church, Sutton, Braxton county.

Church Officers—Church Wardens, Amos Bright, J. S. Haymond; Registrar and Treasurer, Amos Bright, Sutton, W. Va.

Official Acts—Public services, Sundays, 4.

Communicants—Number last reported, 12; removed without letter, 1; lapsed, 1; total loss, 2; net loss, 2; present number total, 10.

Congregations—Baptized persons connected with Parish, 25; families, 5; individuals not thus included, 6; number free sittings, 125.

Property—Church, frame, insurance $1,000, value $1,500.

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Disbursements—For current expenses—Salary of rector, $20.00; other current expenses, $2.78; total for current expenses, $22.78.

Financial Summary—Current expenses raised by congregation as above, $22.78; all money raised by the congregation for current expenses and for contributions, $22.78.

Remarks—Rev. E. B. Snead was called to take charge of the mission in connection with Buckhannon. After preaching two Sundays he gave up the church at Sutton and gave all his time to Buckhannon. I find seven communicants at Richwood, W. Va.

PAROCHIAL REPORT.

Rev. JACOB A. HIATT, address Hinton. Ascension Church, Hinton Parish, Hinton, Summers county. Present minister took charge January, 1904.

Church Officers—Church Wardens, Dr. W. S. Barksdale, Hon. T. N. Read; other Vestrymen, E. P. Goodwin, C. S. Falconer, R. G. Haile, John T. Huffman, John Vromack; Registrar, Hon. T. N. Read, address Hinton; Treasurer, T. N. Read, address Hinton; Superintendent of Sunday Schools, T. N. Read, Hinton.

Official Acts—For four months, baptisms, adults, 1; total, 1; public services, Sundays, 38; other days, 30; total, 68; Holy Communion, public, 5; private, 1; total, 6.

Communicants—Number last reported, 46; received by letter, 3; total gain, 3; net gain, 3; present number total, 49.

Congregations—Baptized persons connected with Parish, 81; confirmed persons connected with Parish, 49; families, 38; individuals not thus included, 100; whole number of individuals, 150; number sittings in church, 200; number free sittings, all; number sittings in chapel, 100.

Rector's Salary—As predged from this congregation, $400.00; as pledged from other congregations, $200.00; from American Church Missionary Society, $200.00; total, $800.00.

Organizations—Sunday Schools, officers and teachers, male, 2; female, 2; total, 4; pupils, male, 10; female, 30; total, 40. Other organizations, Woman's Guild, 24.

Property—Church, frame, insurance $2,000, value $3,000; rectory, frame, insurance $1,500; value, $2,000; parish house or Sunday School room, frame; lot on which they stand, $6.000; total value, $11.000.

FINANCIAL REPORT.

Receipts—For all purposes—May 1st, 1903, May 1st, 1904, cash on hand, per last report, none; pledges and subscriptions, $356.70; collections in church, $74.87; Sunday School, $10.39; Woman's Auxiliary, money, $283.50; total receipts for all purposes, $725.46.

Disbursements—For current expenses—Salary of rector, $284.61; insurance, $15.00 ordinary repairs, $51.02; interest on debt, $39.50; other current expenses, $18.00; total for current expenses, $408.13. *Contributions—For other objects in the Parish*—Maintaining Sunday Schools, $11.50; payment on debts for building, etc., principal, $317.00; total contributions for objects in the Parish, $328.50. *Contributions—For objects in the Diocese*—Salary of Bishops, $11.00; diocesan missions, $23.45; convocation missions, $10.00; total contributions for objects in the diocese, $44.45.

Financial Summary—Current expenses raised by congregation as above, $408.13. Contributions for objects in the Parish, $328.50; for objects in the Diocese, $44.45; total of contributions, $372.95; all money raised by the congregation for current expenses and for contributions, $781.08.

PAROCHIAL REPORT.

Rev. JACOB A. HIATT, address Hinton. Glen Jean Mission, Glen Jean, Fayette county. Present minister took charge January, 1904.

Church Officers—Church Warden, W. B. Johnson; other Vestrymen, Dr. C. B. Lee, W. S. Carter; Registrar, Mrs. C. B. Lee, address Glen Jean; Treasurer, Mr. W. B. Johnson, address Red Star.

Official Acts—Public services, Sundays, 20; total, 20; Holy Communion, private, 1; total 1.

Congregations—Confirmed persons connected with Parish, 15; number of scattered communicants in your section not connected with any Parish, 70; number sittings in church, 300; number free sittings, all.

Rector's salary—As pledged from this congregation, $200; total, $200.

Property—Church, frame, insurance $1,500, value $2,500; total value, $2,500.

FINANCIAL REPORT.

Receipts—For all purposes—Pledges and subscriptions, $233.00; total, $233.00.

Disbursements—For current expenses—Salary of rector, eight months, Rev. Mr. Crook, $200.00; two months, Rev. Hiatt, $33.00; total for current expenses, $233.00.

Financial Summary—Current expenses raised by congregation as above, $233.00; all money raised by the congregation for current expenses and for contributions, $233.00.

PAROCHIAL REPORT.

Rev. J. A. HIATT. Grace Church, Ravenswood.

Church Officers—Church Warden, F. H. Green; other Vestrymen, J. V. Armstrong.

Official Acts—Public services, Sundays, 20; other days, 30; total, 50; Holy Communion, public, 2.

Communicants—Number last reported, 20; present number total, 20.

Congregations—Baptized persons connected with Parish, 40; confirmed persons connected with Parish, 20; families, 14; individuals not thus included, 25; number sittings in church, 200; number free sittings all.

Rector's Salary—As pledged from this congregation, $75; total, $75.

Property—Church, frame, insurance, $2,200, value $3,500; rectory, frame, insurance, $1.000; value, $2,000; total insurance, $3,200; total value, $5,500. Indebtedness, on church, $450; total indebtedness, $450. Money raised from outside sources, $25, for repairs.

FINANCIAL REPORT.

Receipts—For all purposes—Pledges and subscriptions, $75.

Disbursements—For current expenses—Salary of rector for nine months, $50; ordinary repairs, $35; payment on debts contracted for current expenses, $50; total for current expenses, $135. *Contributions—For objects in the Diocese*—Diocesan missions, $3.50; convocation missions, $2.00; Sheltering Arms Hospital, $14.00; total contributions for objects in the Diocese, $19.50.

Financial Summary—Contributions for objects in the Parish, $135.00; for objects in the Diocese, $19.50; total of contributions, $154.50.

PAROCHIAL REPORT.

Rev. JACOB A. HIATT, address Ravenswood. St. John's Church, Ravenswood Parish, Ripley, Jackson county. Date of organization, 1851.

Church Officers—Church Warden, W. T. Greer, Ripley, W. Va.; other Vestrymen, Mr. G. B. Crow, Dan P. Crow, W. W. Armstrong, Dr. Petty, C. W. Starcher, Sam G. Starcher.

Official Acts—Burials, 1; public services, Sundays, 16; other days, 4; total, 20; Holy Communion, public, 2.

Communicants—Number last reported, 37; died, 1; total loss, 1; net loss, 1; present number total, 36.

Congregations—Baptized persons connected with Parish, 48; families, 15; whole number of individuals, 80; number sittings in church, 200; num-free sittings, all.

Rector's salary—As pledged from this congregation, $150.

Organizations—Woman's Guild, 15.

Property—Church, frame, insurance $1,000, value $2,000. Indebtedness, due the minister, $15; total indebtedness, $15.

FINANCIAL REPORT.

Receipts—For all purposes—Pledges and subscriptions, $85.00; Guilds or other societies, $96.44; total receipts for all purposes, $181.44.

Disbursements—For current expenses—Salary of rector, for eight months, $85; other current expenses, $11.85; total for current expenses, $96.85. *Contributions—For objects in the Diocese*—Sheltering Arms Hospital, $15.00; total contributions for objects in the Diocese, $15.00.

Financial Summary—Contributions for objects in the Parish, $181.44; for objects in the Diocese, $15.00; total of contributions, $196.44; all money raised by the congregation for current expenses and for contributions, $196.44; cash in hand, Woman's Guild, $84.59.

PAROCHIAL REPORT.

Rev. DAVID W. HOWARD, address Wheeling, W. Va. Saint Matthew's church, Wheeling, Ohio county. Date of organization, May 11th, 1819. Present minister took charge Jan. 1st, 1900.

Church Officers—Church Wardens, Joseph D. DuBois, sr., Dr. G. A. Aschman; other Vestrymen, J. J. Holloway, B. Walker Peterson, W. S. Brady, Joseph C. Brady, Allen Brock, Julian Hearne, Robert M. Browne, Cyrus P. Flick, Hullihen Quarrier, Peebles Tatum; Registrar, Allen Brock, address 1413 Main street; Treasurer, Cyrus P. Flick, address 1423 Chapline street; superintendent of Sunday Schools, the Rector; Sunday School

Secretary and Treasurer, William Schwertfeger; Lay Reader, Dr. G. A. Aschman.

Official Acts—Baptisms, infants, 16; adults, 8; total 24; presented for confirmation since last report, 30; marriages, 27; burials, 16; catechisings, 12; public services, Sundays, 129; other days, 78; total, 207; Holy Communion, public, 70; private, 6; total, 76.

Communicants—Number last reported, 537; received by letter, 6; admitted by confirmation, 30; total gain, 36; died, 5; transferred, 6; removed without letter, 12; total loss, 23; net gain, 13; present number total, 550.

Congregations—Baptized persons connected with Parish, 870; confirmed persons connected with Parish, 571; families, 192; individuals not thus included, 112; whole number of individuals, 880; number sittings in church, 600; number free sittings, 170; number sittings in Sunday School room, 150.

Rector's Salary—As pledged from this congregation, $2,000.00.

Organizations—Sunday Schools, officers and teachers, male, 4; female, 9; total, 13; pupils, male, 60; female, 75; total, 135; advent offering, $60.00; lenten offering, $250.00; other offerings, $102.81; total Sunday School offerings, $412.81; Parish schools, officers and teachers, 1; scholars, 16; total, 17; Woman's Auxiliary, members, 75. Other organizations, Junior Auxiliary, 45; Swope Guild, 20; N. S. Thomas Guild, 10; Chancel Chapter, 10; King's Daughters, 25; Choir Association, 50.

Property—Church, stone, insurance, $50,000, value $65,000; rectory, stone and brick, insurance $6,000, value $12,000; total value, insurance $56,000, value $77,000. Indebtedness, vestry note at Bank of Wheeling, $2,200; total indebtedness, $2,200.

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Receipts—For all purposes—Pledges and subscriptions, $2,088.22; pew rent, $5,251.28; collections in church, $3,814.19; offerings, special, $278.00; Sunday School, $297.05; Woman's Auxiliary, money, $328.57; Guilds, or other societies, $1,130.54; total receipts for all purposes, $13,187.85.

Disbursements—For current expenses—Salary of rector, $2,000.00; salary of assistant, $500.00; other salaries, $1,871.37; ordinary repairs, $756.43; interest on debt, $262.09; payment on debts contracted for current expenses, $2,050.00; other current expenses, $1,297.32; Parish Record, $274.00; total for current expenses, $9,011.21. *Contributions—For objects in the Parish*—Communion alms, $245.83; extraordinary repairs and improvements, $150.00; parish missions, $283.60; maintaining Sunday Schools, $47.05; City Hospital, $92.00; parish house, $50.00; charities, $414.90; total contributions for objects in the Parish, $1,283.38. *Contributions—For objects in the Diocese*—Salary of Bishops, $605.75; diocesan missions, $425.00; convocation missions, $95.00; widows and orphans, aged and disabled clergy fund, $113.35; religious and theological education, $15.00;

Sheltering Arms Hospital, $419.64; Bishop's special fund, $64.00; Woman's Missionary, $100.00; Chester Mission, $33.62; total contributions for objects in the Diocese, $1,871.26. *Contributions—For objects without the Diocese*—Domestic missions general, $483.24; deaf and dumb, $5.00; Jews, $5.00; total domestic missions, $493.24; for China, $35.00; through American Church Missionary Society, $38.57; Brazil, $80.00; Cuba, $75.00; total foreign missions, $228.57; general clergy relief fund, $25.00; total contributions for objects without the Diocese, $746.81.

Financial Summary—Current expenses raised by congregation as above, $9,011.21; contributions, for objects in the Parish, $1,283.38; for objects in the Diocese, $1,871.36; for objects without the Diocese, $746.81; total of contributions, $3,901.55; all money raised by the congregation for current expenses and for contributions, $12,912.76; cash in hand, $275.09.

PAROCHIAL REPORT.

Rev. EDWARD D. IRVINE address Wellsburg. Christ Church, Wellsburg, Brooke county. Date of organization 1793. Present minister took charge January 15, 1903.

Church Officers—Church Wardens, A. C. Hall, Jos. Faussett; other vestrymen, Geo. A. Baxter, Frederick Hall, T. C. Buchanan; Registrar, Geo. A. Baxter, address Wellsburg; Treasurer, T. C. Buchanan address Wellsburg; Superintendent Sunday Schools, H. C. Hall; Sunday School Secretary and Treasurer, Rose Wheeler.

Official Acts—Baptisms, infants, 2; adults, 2; total, 4; presented for confirmation since last report, 4; marriages, 9; burials, 2; catechisings, 12; public services, Sundays, 82; other days, 75; total, 157; Holy Communion, public, 20; total, 20.

Communicants—Number last reported, 58; admitted by confirmation, 4; total gain, 4; died, 2; lapsed, 5; total loss, 7; net loss, 3; present number total, 55.

Congregations—Baptized persons connected with Parish, 75; confirmed persons connected with Parish, 60; families, 25; whole number of individuals, 125; number sittings in church, 175.

Rector's Salary—As pledged from this congregation, $450; from diocesan missions, $240; as pledged from other congregations, $60; total, $750.

Organizations—Sunday Schools, officers and teachers, male, 2; female, 3; total, 5; pupils, male, 10; female, 20; total, 30; Advent offering, $5.00; Lenten offerings, $20.16; other offerings, $40.59; total Sunday School offerings, $65.75; Parish guild, choir, chancel chapter.

Property—Church, wood, value, $3,500; rectory, wood, value $1,500; other property, value, $150; total value, $5,150.

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Receipts—For all Purposes—Cash in hand, per last report, $15.00; pledges and subscriptions, $520.39; collections in church, $101.92; Sunday School, $65.75; Parish Guild, boxes, value, $22.50; guilds or other societies, $285.08; total receipts for all purposes, $1,010.64.

Disbursements—For Current Expenses—Salary of rector, $450.00; other salaries, $30.50; other current expenses, 43.47; total for current expenses, $523.97. *Contributions—For objects in the Parish*—Communion alms, $35.98; extraordinary repairs and improvements, $236.42; maintaining Sunday Schools, $22.77; other objects, $57.18; total contributions for objects in the Parish, $352.35. *Contributions—For objects in the Diocese*—Salary of bishops, $25.00; diocesan missions, $30.16; convocation missions, $6.00; widows and orphans, aged and disabled clergy fund, $5.00; Sheltering Arms Hospital, $5.00; mission house, $7.00; box for Hospital, (Sheltering Arms) $22.50; total contributions for objects in the Diocese, $100.66. *Contributions—For objects without the Diocese*—Domestic missions general, $16.33; foreign missions general, $16.33; general missions, $32.66; specials, &c., $1.00; total contributions for objects without the Diocese, $33.66.

Financial Summary—Current expenses raised by congregation as above, $523.97. *Contributions*—for objects in the Parish, $352.35; for objects in the Diocese, $100.66; for objects without the Diocese, $33.66; total of contributions, $486.67; all money raised by the congregation for current expenses and for contributions, $1,010.64.

PAROCHIAL REPORT.

Rev. EDWARD D. IRVINE, address Wellsburg. St. John's Church, St. John's Parish, Brooke county. Date of organization 1793. Present minister took charge March 29, 1903.

Church Officers—Church Warden, Jas. Williamson; other vestrymen, Norman Pool, Jas. Allison; Registrar, Sam'l Baxter, address Route 3, Wellsburg; Treasurer, Jas. Williamson, address Route 3, Wellsburg.

Official Acts—Baptisms, infants, 8; presented for confirmation since last report, 4; burials, 1; public services, Sundays, 25; Holy Communion, public, 3.

Communicants—Number last reported, 22; admitted by confirmation, 4; total gain, 4; died, 1; total loss, 1; net gain, 3; present number total, 25.

Congregations—Baptized persons connected with Parish, 35; confirmed persons connected with Parish, 25; families, 8; whole number of individuals, 40; number sittings in church, 250; number free sittings, all.

Rector's Salary—As pledged from this congregation, $60.00; from diocesan missions, $240.00; as pledged from other congregations, $450.00; total, $750.00.

Property—Church, brick, value, $2,500; total value, $2,500. Indebtedness, due to minister, $15.00; total indebtedness, $15.00.

FINANCIAL REPORT.

Receipts—For all Purposes—Pledges and subscriptions, $411.50; collections in church, $34.62; total receipts for all purposes, $446.12.

Disbursements—For Current Expenses—Salary of rector, $45.00; other current expenses, $27.42; extensive repairs, $366.50; total for current expenses, $438.92. *Contributions—For objects in the Diocese*—Diocesan missions, $7.65; total contributions for objects in the Diocese, $7.65.

Financial Summary—Current expenses raised by congregation as above, $72.42. *Contributions*—For objects in the Parish, $366.50; for objects in the Diocese, $7.65.

Remarks—Extensive repairs have been made on the church, and the building is now in good conditions. The congregations are good, but miscellaneous, very few are church people.

PAROCHIAL REPORT.

Rev. ARTHUR M. LEWIS, address Powellton, W. Va. St. David's Church, Powellton, Fayette county. Date of organization December 5, 1886. Present minister took charge September 1, 1901.

Church Officers—Church Warden, Thomas Price; other committeemen, Godwin H. Powel, D. T. Evans, J. I. Absalom, Dr. A. W. DeBell, D. Swain; Registrar, John I. Absalom, address Powellton, W. Va.; Treasurer, D. Swain, address Powellton, W. Va.; Superintendent of Sunday Schools, D. Swain, Powellton, W. Va.; Sunday School Secretary and Treasurer, John I. Absalom; Lay reader, Godwin H. Powel.

Official Acts—Baptisms, infants, 5; adults, 5; total, 10; presented for confirmation since last report, 8; burials, 4; catechisings, 21; public services, Sundays, 42; other days, 10; total, 52; Holy Communion, public, 7.

Communicants—Number last reported, 27; admitted by confirmation, 8; added otherwise, 1; total gain, 9; removed without letter, 2; total loss, 2; net gain, 7; present number total, 34.

Congregations—Baptized persons connected with Parish, 60; confirmed persons connected with Parish, 34; families, 15; number sittings in church, 110; number free sittings, 110.

Rector's Salary—As pledged from this congregation, $402.00; as pledged from other congregations, $520.00; total, $922.00.

Organizations—Sunday Schools, officers and teachers, male, 2; female, 4; total, 6; pupils, male, 22; female, 35; total, 57; Advent offerings, $11.00; Lenten offerings, $8.26; total Sunday School offerings, $19.26; Ladies' Aid Society, 15 members.

Property—Chancel furniture, &c., value, $328.00; rectory furniture, value, $148.15; total value, $476.15. There is no indebtedness of any kind.

FINANCIAL REPORT.

Receipts—For all Purposes—Cash on hand, per last report, $174.51; pledges and subscriptions, $523.46; collections in church, $109.59; Sunday School, $49.95; Ladies' Aid Society, $206.68; income from other sources, $35.25; total receipts for all purposes, $1,099.44.

Disbursements—For Current Expenses—Salary of rector, $402.00; other current expenses, $99.34; total for current expenses, $501.34. *Disbursements —For objects in the Parish*—Communion alms, $14.68; extraordinary repairs and improvements, $28.00; maintaining Sunday Schools, $30.68; other objects, $22.34; rectory furniture, $148.15; total contributions for objects in the Parish, $243.85.*Contributions—For objects in the Diocese*—Salary of bishops, $21.00; permanent fund, $8.00; diocesan missions, $23.57; convocation missions, $2.00; widows and orphans, aged and disabled clergy fund, $4.31; Sheltering Arms Hospital, $13.42; bishop's special fund, $50.00; total contributions for objects in the diocese, $122.30. *Contributions—For objects without the Diocese*—Domestic missions general, $6.63; total domestic missions, $6.63; foreign missions general, $9.67; Brazil, $2.07; Cuba, $2.06; total foreign missions, $13.80; general clergy relief fund, $3.10; Bible and prayer book society, $5.00; society for promoting Christianity among the Jews, $2.33; total contributions for objects without the diocese, $30.86.

Financial Summary—Current expenses raised by congregation as above, $501.34. *Contributions*—For objects in the Parish, $243.85; for objects in the Diocese, $122.30; for objects without the Diocese, $30.86; total of contributions, $397.01; all money raised by the congregation for current expenses and for contributions, $898.35; cash in hand, $201.09.

Remarks—Parochial report of three mission points—St. Titus Mission at Nuttallburg—At present we have fifteen communicants here; baptized persons connected with the mission, 27; baptisms, 8; confirmations, 3; Sunday services, 1; week day services, 11; money raised, diocesan missions, $5.00; bishop's salary, $5.00; rector's salary, $49.05.

ARTHUR M. LEWIS.

Good Shepherd Mission, Ferris—Communicants, 4; Baptized persons connected with the mission, 8; baptisms, 1; week day services, 12; marriages, 2; money raised, rector's salary, $20.00; general missions, $7.18; (raised by one class in a union Sunday School.)

ARTHUR M. LEWIS.

Emmanuel Mission, Mt. Carbon—Communicants,10; baptized persons connected with the mission, 25; money raised, foreign missions general, $2.25; Sheltering Arms Hospital, $2.54; diocesan missions, $5.00; bishop's salary, $5.00; rector's salary, $50.50; sexton, $15.00; total money raised, $80.29.

ARTHUR M. LEWIS.

PAROCHIAL REPORT.

Rev. ARTHUR M. LEWIS, address Powellton, W. Va. Calvary Church, Montgomery, Fayette county. Date of organization 1878. Present minister took charge September 1, 1901.

Church Officers—Church Warden, N. R. Coles; other vestrymen, O. J. Henderson, Hubbard Smith, W. K. Bridges, Venable Josnson, L. E. Rupert; Registrar, W. K. Bridges, address Longacre, W. Va.; Treasurer Venable Johnson, address Crescent, W. Va.; Superintendent of Sunday Schools, Mrs. O. J. Henderson, Montgomery, W. Va.; Sunday School Secretary and Treasurer, Mrs. O. J. Henderson.

Official Acts—Baptisms, infants, 7; presented for confirmation since last report, 1; marriages, 1; burials, 1; catechisings, 2; public services, Sundays, 26; other days, 8; total, 34; Holy Communion, public, 4; private, 1; total, 5.

Communicants—Number last reported, 17; admitted by confirmation, 1; added otherwise, 2; total gain, 3; removed without letter, 1; total loss, 1; net gain, 2; present number total, 19.

Congregations—Baptized persons connected with Parish, 34; confirmed persons connected with Parish, 19; families, 8; number sittings in church, 200; number free sittings, 200.

Rector's Salary—As pledged from this congregation, $200.00; as pledged from other congregations, $722.00; total, $922.00.

Organizations—Sunday Schools, officers and teachers, female, 1; pupils, male, 7; female, 8; total, 15; Lenten offering, $5.10; total Sunday School offerings, $5.10; Ladies' Aid Society, 8.

Property—Church, frame, insurance, $1,200.00; value, $1,500.00; rectory fund, $1,096.47; foundation, $200.00; lot, $500.00; total value, $3,296.47; indebtedness on church, $400.00; due the minister, $100.00; total indebtedness, $500.00.

FINANCIAL REPORT.

Receipts—For all Purposes—Cash on hand, per last report, $3.85; pledges and subscriptions, $202.65; collections in church, $106.50; interest from investments, $67.72; money borrowed, (from rectory fund) $400.00; thank offerings, (donations) $11.62; Sunday School, $5.10; contingent fund, $9.00; contributions from without, $10.00; income from account repairs, &c., $82.40; total receipts for all purposes, $831.12.

Disbursements—For Current Expenses—Salary of rector, (account $200.00;) $100.00; other salaries, (sexton) $19.00; ordinary repairs, (carpet, &c.) $33.65; other curent expenses, $55.89; total for current expenses, $244.58. *Contributions—For objects in the Parish*—Extraordinary repairs and improvements, $510.32; total contributions for objects in the Parish, $510.32. *Contributions for objects in the Diocese*—Salary of bishops, $15.00; diocesan missions, $15.00; convocation missions, $1.00; widows

and orphans, aged and disabled clergy fund, $2.50; Sheltering Arms Hospital, $4.10; total contributions for objects in the diocese, $37.60. *Contributions—For objects without the Diocese*—Domestic missions general, $3.15; total domestic missions, $3.15; foreign missions general, $7.30; Brazil, $1.30; Cuba, $1:30; total foreign missions, $9.90; general clergy relief fund, $3.30; total contributions for objects without the Diocese, $16.35.

Financial Summary—Current expenses raised by congregation as above, $244.58. *Contributions*—For objects in the parish, $510.32; for objects in the Diocese, $37.60; for objects without the Diocese, $16.35; total of contributions, $564.21; all money spent by the congregation for current expenses and for contributions, $808.85; cash in hand, $22.27.

PAROCHIAL REPORT.

Rev. ARTHUR M. LEWIS, address Ansted, W. Va. Church of the Redeemer, Ansted, Fayette county. Date of organization, 1879. Present minister took charge April 1, 1901.

Church Officers—Church Warden, Wm. N. Page; other vestermen, J. C. R. Taylor, Raleigh C. Taylor, W. H. Evans, Patrick Moran, John R. Brashears; Registrar, J. C. R. Taylor, address Ansted, W. Va.; Treasurer, W. H. Evans, Ansted, W. Va.; Superintendent of Sunday Schools, Wm. N. Page; Sunday School Secretary and Treasurer, J. C. R. Taylor.

Official Acts—Baptisms, infants, 5; adults, 2; total, 7; presented for confirmation since last report, 3; marriages, 1; burials, 1; catechisings, 20; public services, Sundays, 25; other days, 29; total, 54; Holy Communion, public, 6; private, 1; total, 7.

Communicants—Number last reported, 37; admitted by confirmation, 3; added otherwise, 2; total gain, 5; died, 1; removed without letter, 1; lapsed, 4; total loss, 6; net loss, 1; present number total, 36.

Congregations—Baptized persons connected with Parish, 75; confirmed persons connected with Parish, 36; families, 11; individuals not thus included, 2; number sittings in church, 200; number free sittings, 200.

Rectors Salary—As pledged from this congregation, $200.00; as pledged from other congregations, $722.00; total, $922.00.

Organizations—Sunday Schools, officers and teachers, male, 2; female, 4; total, 6; pupils, male, 20; femals, 40; total, 60; Advent offerings, $15.39; Lenten offerings, $6.00; other offerings, $36.13; total Sunday School offerings, $57.32; Parish schools, officers and teachers, 1; scholars, 40; total, 41; Ladies' Aid Society, 6.

Property—Church, frame, value, $3,000.

FINANCIAL REPORT.

Receipts—For all Purposes—Cash on hand, per last report, $75.13;

pledges and subscriptions, $200.75; collections in church, $78.01; Sunday School, $57.52; Ladies' Aid Society, $50.00; Easter offering for Parish school building, $30.00; contributions from without, $220.00; income from other sources, $253.02; total receipts for all purposes, $964.43.

Disbursements—For Current Expenses—Salary of rector, $200.00; other salaries, (janitor) $18.00; other current expenses, $8.15; other objects, $9.00; total for current expenses, $235.15. *Contributions—For objects in* added otherwise, 4; total gain, 13; removed without letter, 12; lapsed, 6; *the Parish*—Parish schools, $212.50; maintaining Sunday Schools, $56.01; other objects, $29.46; total contributions for objects in the Parish, $297.97. *Contributions—For objects in the Diocese*—Salary of bishops, $20.00; diocesan missions, $20.00; convocation missions, $27.75; widows and orphans, aged and disabled clergy fund, $4.50; Sheltering Arms Hospital, $11.00; total contributions for objects in the Diocese, $83.25. *Contributions—For objects without the Diocese*—Domestic missions general, $4.19; total domestic missions, $4.19; foreign missions, general, $9.50; total foreign missions, $9.50; general clergy relief fund, $3.00; total contributions for objects without the Diocese, $16.69.

Financial Summary—Current expenses raised by congregation as above, $235.15. *Contributions*—For objects in the Parish, $297.97; for objects in the Diocese, $83.25; for objects without the Diocese, $16.69; total of contributions, $397.91; all money raised by the congregation for current expenses and for contributions, $633.06; cash in hand, $331.37.

Remarks—Received $200.00 from Rev. B. M. Spurr on account Parish school expenses.

PAROCHIAL REPORT.

Rev. JOHN TILTON MARLEY, address Morgantown, 247 Willey street. Present minister took charge October, 1900.

Church Officers—Church Wardens, Capt. Wm. C. Marshall, Prof. S. B. Brown; other vestrymen, Col. J. C. Frazer, Bryan Gordon, L. D. Beall, Prof. Truscott, Harry Zeomly, Dr. R. H. Edmundson, Geo. Rogers, Dr. St. Geo. T. Brooke; Registrar, Mr. L. D. Beall, address Morgantown; Treasurer, Bryan Gordon, address Morgantown; Superintendent of Sunday Schools, Rector; Sunday School Secretary and Treasurer, Mr. Dean Page.

Official Acts—Baptisms, infants, 5; adults, 4; total, 9; presented for confirmation since last report, 9; marriages, 4; burials, 3; catechisings, 12; public services, Sundays, 106; other days, 60; total, 166; Holy Communion, public, 15.

Communicants—Number last reported, 91; admitted by confirmation, 9; total loss, 18; net loss, 5; present number total, 86.

Congregations—Baptized persons connected with Parish, 112; confirmed

persons connected with Parish, 86; families, 35; individuals not thus included, 15; number of scattered communicants in your section not connected with any Parish, 4; number sittings in church, 225.

Rector's Salary—As pledged by this congregation, $1,000.00.

Organizations—Sunday Schools, officers and teachers, male, 2; female, 3; total, 5; pupils, male, 18; female, 22; total, 40; Ladies' Guild; Junior Guild; Boys' Guild.

Property—Church, frame, insurance, $2,500.00; value, $3,000.00.

FINANCIAL REPORT.

Receipts—For all Purposes—Cash on hand, per last report, $175.55; pledges and subscriptions, $826.58; collections in church, $139.38; thank offering, $55.00; Sunday School, $25.43; guilds or other societies, $359.80; contributions from without, $327.78; total receipts for all purposes, $1,904.44.

Disbursements—For Current Expenses—Salary of rector, $1,000.00; other salaries, $253.28; insurance, $50.00; ordinary repairs, $301.32; interest on debt, $18.00; other current expenses, $106.00; total for current expenses, $1,728.60. *Contributions—For objects in the Parish*—Communion alms, $32.00; Parish missions, $20.00; maintaining Sunday Schools, $5.40; total contributions for objects in the parish, $57.40. *Contributions—For objects in the Diocese*—Salary of bishops, $25.00; diocesan missions, $25.00; convocation missions, $10.00; widows and orphans, aged and disabled clergy fund, $5.15; religious and theological education, $1.48; Sheltering Arms Hospital, $20.50; total contributions for objects in the Diocese, $87.13. *Contributions—for objects without the Diocese*—Domestic missions general, $13.62; foreign missions general, $13.61; Brazil, $5.00; Cuba, $4.08; total contributions for objects without the Diocese, $36.31.

Financial Summary—Contributions—Current expenses, etc., $1,728.60; for objects in the Parish, $57.40; for objects in the Diocese, $87.13; for objects dwithout the Diocese, $36.31; total contributions, $1,909.44.

PAROCHIAL REPORT.

Rev. C. E. A. MARSHALL, address Shepherdstown. Trinity Church, St. Andrews Parish, Shepherdstown, Jefferson county. Date of organization about 1790. Present minister took charge February 1, 1903.

Church Officers—Church Wardens, A. S. Dandridge, Jno. O. Aglionby; other evstrymen, J. S. Bragonier, P. P. Marshall, Lee H. Moler, F. W. Muzzey, Dr. Hop. Gibson, Dr. D. W. Border; Registrar, J. S. Brazonier, address Shepherdstown; Treasurer, J. S. Bragonier, address Shepherdstown; Superintendent of Sunday Schools, A. S. Dandridge, Shepherdstown.

Official Acts—Baptisms, adults, 1; presented for confirmation since last report, 1; marriages, 1; burials, 6; catechisings, 15; public services, Sundays, 127; other days, 60; total, 187; Holy Communion, public, 16; private, 1; total, 17.

Communicants—Number last reported, 144; admitted by confirmation, 1; added otherwise, 8; total gain, 9; removed without letter, 3; total, loss, 3; net gain, 6; present number total, 150.

Congregations—Baptized persons connected with Parish, 272; families, 50.

Rector's Salary—As pledged from this congregation, $600.

Organizations—Sunday Schools, No. 1, officers and teachers, male, 2; female, 5; total, 7; pupils, total, 40; No. 2, officers and teachers, male, 1; No. 3, officers and teachers, female, 3; pupils, male, 8; Woman's Auxiliary, members, 8; Junior Auxiliary, 11.

Property—Church, Stone, insurance, $3,500; value, $12,300; chapel, stone, value, $3,000; rectory, brick, insurance, $3,250; value, $6.000: Chapel Good Shepherd at Duffield, frame, insurance, $1,000; value $1,500; total insurance, $7,750; total value, $22,800.

FINANCIAL REPORT.

Receipts for all Purposes—Cash on hand, per last report, $148.25; pledges and subscriptions, and pew rent, $582.63; collections in church, &c., $659.17; Woman's Auxiliary, money, $2.00; Woman's Auxiliary, boxes, value, $65.37; guilds or other societies, collections from without, income from other sources, $55.00; total receipts for all purposes, $1,512.42.

Disbursements—For Current Expenses—Salary of rector, $610.00; other salaries, (sexton) $50.00; insurance, $22.50; ordinary repairs, $68.96; other current expenses, $68.31; total for current expenses, $819.77. *Contributions—For objects in the Parish*—Communion alms, $28.60; maintaining Sunday Schools, $9.61; total contributions for objects in the Parish, $38.21. *Contributions—For objects in the Diocese*—Salary of bishops, $61.50; permanent fund, $1.27; diocesan missions, $43.23; convocation missions, $35.00; widows and orphans, aged and disabled clergy fund, $14.00; religious and theological education, $10.04; Sheltering Arms Hospital, $6.24; bishop's special fund, $60.00; total contributions for objects in the Diocese, $231,28. *Contributions—For objects without the Diocese*—Domestic missions general, $23.14; Indians, $1.38; Jews, $2.01; through American Church Missionary Society, $7.00; total domestic missions, $33.53; foreign missions general, $24.89; for Africa, $25.00; through American Church Missionary Society, $7.00; total foreign missions, $56.89; specials, boxes, &c., $65.37; American church building fund, $7.70; general clergy relief fund, $3.00; other objects, $10.00; American Bible Society, $8.47; total contributions for objects without the diocese, $185.03.

Financial Summary—Current expenses raised by congregation as above,

$819.77. *Contributions*—For objects in the Parish, $857.98; for objects in the Diocese, $231.28; for objects without the Diocese, $185.03; total of contributions, $1,274.29; cash in hand, $150.99.

PAROCHIAL REPORT.

Rev. F. A. MEADE, Elkins. Grace Church, Elkins, Randolph county. Present minister took charge December 1, 1903.

Church Officers—Church Warden, C. H. Scott; other vestrymen, I. P. Gassman, J. Lacy Dunlop, John Lingumfelter, Robert G. Read, Fred Fletcher; Registrar, Bobt. G. Read, address Elkins; Treasurer, I. P. Gassman, address Elkins; Superintendent of Sunday Schools, J. Lacy Dunlop, Elkins; Sunday School Secretary and Treasurer, Charles Stiffler.

Official Acts—Baptisms, infants, 1; adults, 1; total, 2; presented for confirmation since last report, 2; marriages, 1; burials, 3; public services, Sundays, 34; other days, 27; total, 61; Holy Communion, public, 5.

Communicants—Number last reported, 30; received by letter, 3; admitted by confirmation, 2; added otherwise, 9; total gain, 14; transferred, 3; removed without letter, 6; total loss 9; net gain, 5; present number total, 35.

Congregations—Baptized persons connected with Parish, 72; confirmed persons connected with Parish, 36; families, 16; individuals not thus included, 6; whole number of individuals, 75; number of scattered communicants in your section not connected with any Parish, 7; number sittings in church, 120; number free sittings, 120.

Rector's Salary—As pledged from this congregation, $200.00; from diocesan missions, $400.00; as pledged from other congregations, $100.00; total $700.00.

Organizations—Sunday Schools, officers and teachers, male, 1; female, 3; total, 4; pupils, male, 7; female, 13; total, 20; Lenten offering, $9.30; other offerings, $25.00; total Sunday School offerings, $34.30.

Property—Church, frame, insurance, $1,400; value, $2,900; rectory, frame, insurance, $1,000; value, $2,000; total value, $4,900. Indebtedness, on rectory, $1,750; total indebtedness, $1,750.

FINANCIAL REPORT.

Receipts—For all Purposes—Cash on hand, per last report, $2.03; pledges and subscriptions, $255.47; collections in church, $111.74; guilds or other societies, $40.00; contributions from without, $128.12; income from other sources, $5.00; total receipts for all purposes, $542.36.

Disbursements—For Current Expenses—Salary of rector, $170.43; other salaries, $11.00; insurance, $18.00; ordinary repairs, $3.40; interest on

debt, $50.00; other current expenses, $23.41; other objects, $1.50; total for current expenses, $277,74. *Contributions—For objects in the Parish*—Communion alms, (not added ncluded below) $18.45; extraordinary repairs and improvements, $159.27; maintaining Sunday Schools, $13.24; total contributions for objects in the Parish, $172.51. *Contributions—For objects in the DDiocese*—Salary of bishops, $10.00; diocesan missions, $10.00; widows and orphans, aged and disabled clergy fund, $3.25; religious and theological education, $2.00; total contributions for objects in the Diocese, $25.25. *Contributions—For objects without the Diocese*—Domestic missions general, $1.25; total domestic missions, $1.25; foreign missions, general, $1.25; total foreign misions, $1.25; total contributions for objects without the Diocese, $2.50.

Financial Summary—Current expenses raised by congregation as above, $277.74. Contributions—For objects in the Parish, $172.51; for objects in the Diocese, $25.25; for objects without the Diocese, $2.50; total contributions, $200.26; all money raised by the congregation for current expenses and for contributions, $478.00; cash in hand, $105.35.

PAROCHIAL REPORT.

Rev. F. A. MEADE, address Elkins. Trinity Church, Belington, Barbour county. Present minister took charge December 1, 1903.

Communicants—Number last reported, 10; present number total, 10.

Congregations—Baptized persons connected with Parish, 25.

Remarks—Although nominally in charge since the first of December, I have not been able to hold any service on account of the impossibility of securing a suitable building. We have here a church lot and about $316.00 to meet deferred payments on lot, and to add to the fund for building a church.

F. A. MEADE.

PAROCHIAL REPORT.

Rev. ROBT. N. MEADE, address Bramwell. Grace Mission, Eckman, McDowell county. Present minister took charge April 15, 1904.

Church Officers—Church Warden, Dr. P. Killey.

Official Acts—Baptisms, infants, 1; total, 1; marriages, 2; public services, Sundays, 15; total, 15; Holy Communion, public, 3.

Communicants—Number last reported, 22; received by letter, 1; added otherwise, 2; total gain, 3; transferred, 10; lapsed, 2; total loss, 12; net loss, 9; present number total, 13.

Congregations—Baptized persons connected with Parish, 24; confirmed persons connected with Parish, 16; families, 10; whole number of individuals, 35; number free sittings, all; number sittings in chapel, 125.

Property—Church, frame, insurance $800, value $1,200.

FINANCIAL REPORT.

Receipts—For all purposes—Pledges and subscriptions, $88.00; collections in church, $76.06; total receipts for al purposes, $164.06.

Disbursements—For current expenses—Salary of rector, $67.30; salary of assistant, $9.25; total for current expenses, $76.59. *Contributions—For objects in the Parish*—Extraordinary repairs and improvements, $30.00; total contributions for objects in the Parish, $30.00. *Contributions—For objects in the Diocese*—Salary of Bishops, $10.00; permanent fund, $10.00; diocesan missions, $7.43; total contributions for objects in the Diocese, $27.43. *Contributions—For objects without the Diocese*—Domestic missions general, $8.80; foreign missions general, $8.80; total foreign missions, $17.60; American church building fund, $1.17; general clergy relief fund, $6.95; Virginia Educational Society, $4.32; total contributions for objects without the Diocese, $30.04.

Financial Summary—Current expenses raised by congregation as above, $76.59; contributions, for objects in the Parish, $30.00; for objects in the Diocese, $27.43; for objects without the Diocese, $30.04; total of contributions, $87.47; all money raised by the congregation for current expenses and for contributions, $164.06.

PAROCHIAL REPORT.

Rev. ROBT. N. MEADE, address Bramwell. St. Antipas Mission, Welch, McDowell county. Present minister took charge April 15, 1903.

Official Acts—Marriages, 1; public services, Sundays, 15; other days, 2; total, 17; Holy Communion, public, 1.

Communicants—Number last reported, 15; received by letter, 5; total gain, 5; transferred, 5; total loss, 5; present number total, 15.

Congregations—Baptized persons connected with Parish, 32; confirmed persons connected with Parish, 16; families, 10; individuals not thus included, 9; whole number of individuals, 34.

Organizations—Ladies' Guild, 15.

Property—Two lots, value, $500; building fund, (circa), $800; money raised from outside sources, $59.25, for building fund.

FINANCIAL REPORT.

Receipts—For all purposes—Cash on hand, per last report, $413.00;

pledges and subscriptions, $10.00; collections in church, $42.89; contributions from without, $59.25; income from other sources, $363.12; total receipts for all purposes, $888.26.

Disbursements—For current expenses—Salary of rector, $24.95; salary of assistant, $13.97; other current expenses, $18.00; total for current expenses, $56.92. *Contributions—For objects in the Parish*—Building fund, $802.37; total contributions for objects in the Parish, $802.37. *Contributions—For objects in the Diocese*—Salary of Bishops, $10.00; permanent fund, $5.00; diocesan missions, $11.57; total contributions for objects in the Diocese, $26.57. *Contributions—For objects without the Diocese*—General missions, $2.40; total contributions for objects without the Diocese, $2.40.

Financial Summary—Current expenses raised by congregation as above, $56.92; contributions, for objects in the Parish, $802.37; for objects in the Diocese, $26.57; for objects without the Diocese, $2.40; total of contributions, $831.34; all money raised by the congregation for current expenses and for contributions, $888,26; cash in hand, $802.37.

PAROCHIAL REPORT.

Rev. ROBT. N. MEADE, address Bramwell. Other Missions. Present minister took charge April 15, 1904.

Official Acts—Public services, Sundays, 16; total, 16.

Communicants—Number last reported, 27; received by letter, 25; total gain, 25; transferred, 14; total loss, 14; net gain, 11; present number total, 38.

Congregations—Baptized persons connected with Parish, 82; confirmed persons conected with Parish, 38; families, 21; individuals not thus included, 21; whole number of individuals, 82.

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Receipts—For all purposes—Collections in church, $40.00; total receipts for all purposes, $40.00.

Disbursements—For current expenses—Salary of rector, $6.38; salary of assistant, $32.62; total for current expenses, $39.00. *Contributions—For objects in the Diocese*—Diocesan missions, $1.00; total contributions for objects in the Diocese, $1.00.

Financial Summary—Current expenses raised by congregation as above, $39.00; contributions, for objects in the Diocese, $1.00; total contributions, $1.00; all money raised by the congregation for current expenses and for contributions, $40.00.

Remarks—This report includes Rock District, Mercer county, and Mc-

Dowell county. Services were held at Mora, 4; Elkhorn, 4; Gary, 3; Algoma, 2; Vivian, 1, and North Fork Junction, 2.

PAROCHIAL REPORT.

Rev. AUSTIN B. MITCHELL, address Williamstown, Wood county. Present minister took charge, Aug. 9, 1903.

Church Officers—Church Wardens, J. W. Snodgrass, Charles Hunter; other Vestrymen, H. C. Henderson, A. T. Henderson, R. Hammett; Registrar, H. C. Henderson, address Williamstown; Treasurer, A. T. Henderson, address Williamstown; Superintendent of Sunday School, H. C. Henderson, Williamstown; Sunday School Secretary and Treasurer, Miss F. W. Biddle; Lay Reader, H. C. Henderson.

Official Acts—Baptisms, infants, 1; total, 1; presented for confirmation since last report, 1; Catechisings, 2; public services, Sundays (this means one service each Sunday) 36; other days, 8; total, 44; Holy Communion, public, 8; total, 8.

Communicants—Number last reported, 29; received by letter, 1; admitted by confirmation, 1; total gain, 2; not otherwise accounted for, 4; net loss, 2; present number total, 27.

Congregations—Baptized persons connected with Parish, 62; confirmed persons connected with Parish, 27; families, 20; individuals not thus included, 20; whole number of individuals, 47; number sittings in church, 150; number free sittings, 150.

Rector's Salary—As pledged from this congregation, $200.00; from diocesan missions, $200.00; as pledged from other congregations, $400.00; total, $800.00.

Organizations—Sunday Schools, officers and teachers, male, 1; female, 5; total, 6; pupils, male, 12; female, 10; total, 22; advent offering, $8.56; lenten offering, $11.43; other offerings, $17.60; total Sunday School offerings, 37.59; Woman's Auxiliary, members, 14.

Property—Church, wood, insurance $1,500.00, value $2,500.00; rectory, wood, value $3,500.00. Indebtedness, on rectory, $1,500.00.

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Receipts—For all purposes—Pledges and subscriptions, $497.67; collections in church, $51.87; money borrowed, $1,500.00; Sunday School, $37,57; Woman's Auxiliary, money, $146.63; contributions from without, $242.10; total receipts for all purposes, $2,475.84.

Disbursements—For current expenses—Salary of rector, $135.80; other current expenses, $10.50; total for current expenses, $146.30. *Contributions—For objects in the Parish*—Maintaining Sunday Schools, $15.68; pay-

ment for building rectory, $2,079.20; total contributions for objects in the Parish, $2,094.88. *Contributions—For objects in the Diocese*—Salary of Bishops, $2.50; permanent fund, $3.00; diocesan missions, $28.19; convocation missions, $2.00; widows and orphans, aged and disabled clergy fund, $1.00; religious and theological education, $2.12; Sheltering Arms Hospital, $2.34; Bishop's special fund, $1.00; total contributions for objects in the Diocese, $42.15. *Contributions—For objects without the Diocese*—Foreign missions general, $18.43; Brazil, $1.00; total contributions for objects without the Diocese, $19.43.

Financial Summary—Current expenses raised by congregation as above, $146.30; contributions, for objects in the Parish, $352.78; for objects in the Diocese, $42.15; for objects without the Diocese, $19.43; total of contributions, $414.36; all money raised by the congregation for current expenses and for contributions, $560.66; cash in hand, $172.78.

Remarks—In the final summary on page 9 I have deducted from total contributions for objects within the Parish, $2,094.88, the sum of $1,742.10, balance, $352.78, which consists of funds borrowed and raised from without the Parish, leaving $352.78 the exact amount raised within the Parish and expended for objects within the Parish.

PAROCHIAL REPORT.

Rev. AUSTIN B. MITCHELL, address Williamstown. Memorial Chapel of the Good Shepherd Mission, Parkersburg, Wood county. Present minister took charge Aug. 9, 1903.

Church Officers—Registrar, W. G. Peterkin, address Parkersburg; Treasurer, W. G. Peterkin, address Parkersburg; Superintendent of Sunday School, Simms Powell, Parkersburg; Sunday School Secretary and Treasurer, W. G. Peterkin; Lay Readers, Simms Powell, W. G. Peterkin.

Official Acts—Baptisms, infants, 4; adults, 2; total, 6; presented for confirmation since last report, 3; burials, 2; catechisings, 6; public services, Sundays, 36; other days, 10; total, 46; Holy Communion, public, 3; total, 3.

Communicants—Number last reported, 9; admitted by confirmation, 3; added otherwise, 5; total gain, 8; died, 1; lapsed, 1; total loss, 2; net gain, 6; present number total, 15.

Congregations—Baptized persons connected with Parish, 25; confirmed persons, connected with Parish, 17; families, 16; individuals not thus included, 22; whole number of individuals, 39; number sittings in church, 200; number free sittings, 200; number sittings in Sunday School room, 150.

Organizations—Sunday Schools, officers and teachers, male, 3; female, 9; total, 12; pupils, male, 90; female, 95; total, 185; advent offering, $10.00;

lenten offering, $20.00; other offerings, $10.00; Ladies' Aid Society, 16; Girl Sunshine Society, 35; Sewing School, 65; Boys' Club, 15.

Property, Church, wood, value $10,000.

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Receipts—For all purposes—Cash on hand, per last report, 29 cents; pledges and subscriptions, $743.80; collections in church, $810.51; thank offerings, $373.30; Woman's Auxiliary, money, $20.00; Guilds, or other societies, $123.75; contributions from without, $50.00; income from other sources, $83.70; total receipts for all purposes, $2,205.35.

Disbursements—For current expenses—Salary of rector, $304.00; other salaries, $16.00; other current expenses, $32.23; total for current expenses, $352.23. *Contributions—For objects in the Parish*—Extraordinary repairs and improvements, $120.60; parish missions, $327.00; parochial and industrial schools, $7.74; other objects, $47.23; total contributions for objects in the Parish, $502.57. *Contributions—For objects in the Diocese*—Salary of Bishops, $17.00; permanent fund, $7.00; diocesan missions, $150.00; widows and orphans, aged and disabled clergy fund, $16.00; religious and theological education, $10.00 Sheltering Arms Hospital, $16.00; Theological Seminary, $3.00; Bishop's special fund, $373.30; total contributions for objects in the DDiocese, $592.30. *Contributions for objects without the Diocese*—Domestic missions general, $190.00; colored people, $6.00; Indians, $2.00; deaf and dumb, $10.00; Jews, $2.00; through American Church Missionary Society, $75.00; total domestic missions, $285.51; foreign missions general, $190.00; for Mexico, $2.00; Brazil, $61.00; Cuba, $61.00; total foreign missions, $314.00; American church building fund, $2.00; general clergy relief fund, $8.00; Bible and Prayer Book Society, $2.00; total contributions for objects without the Diocese, $611.51.

Financial Summary—Current expenses raised by congregation as above, $352.23; contributions, for objects in the Parish, $502.57; for objects in the Diocese, $592.30; for objects without the Diocese, $611.51; total of contributions, $1706.38; all money raised by the congregation for current expenses and for contributions, $2,058.61; cash in hand, $13.74.

PAROCHIAL REPORT.

Rev. AUSTIN B. MITCHELL, address Williamstown. Grace Chapel Mission, Newport, Wood county. Present minister took charge August.

Church Officers—Treasurer, Miss Jennie Tavenner, address Newport; Superintendent of Sunday School, Brook Thomas, Newport.

Official Acts—Catechisings, 1; public services, Sunday, 1; other days, 12; total, 13; Holy Communion, public, 1.

Communicants—Number last reported, 10; present number total, 10.

Congregations—Baptized persons connected with Parish, 20; confirmed persons connected with Parish, 10; families, 8; individuals not thus included, 20; whole number of individuals, 40; number sittings in church, 100; number free sitings, 100.

Organizations—Sunday Schools, officers and teachers, male, 1; female, 4; total 5; pupils, male, 10; female, 20; total, 30; advent offering, $2.50; lenten offering, $8.67; other offerings, $5.00; total Sunday School offerings, $16.17.

Property—Church, value $1,200.00.

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Receipts—For all purposes—Pledges and subscriptions, $65.00; collections in church, $12.32; thank offerings, $15.00; Sunday School, $16.17; total receipts for all purposes, $108.49.

Disbursements—For current expenses—Salary of rector, $50.00; other current expenses, $5.00; total for current expenses, $55.00. *Contributions—For objects in the Parish*—Parish missions, $10.00; maintaining Sunday Schools, $5.50; total contributions for objects in the Parish, $15.50. *Contributions—For objects in the Diocese*—Salary of Bishops, $3.00; diocesan missions, $8.32; convocation missions, $2.00; widows and orphans, aged and disabled clergy fund, $1.00; Bishop's special fund, $15.00; total contributions for objects in the Diocese, $29.32. *Contributions—For objects without the Diocese*—Foreign missions general, $8.67; total foreign missions, $8.67; total contributions for objects without the Diocese, $8.67.

Financial Summary—Current expenses raised by congregation as above, $55.00; contributions, for objects in the Parish, $15.50; for objects in the Diocese, $29.32; for objects without the Diocese, $8.67; total of contributions, $53.49; all money raised by the congregation for current expenses and for contributions, $108.49.

PAROCHIAL REPORT.

Rev. FRANCIS VAN R. MOORE, address Elm Grove, W. Va. St. Paul's Mission, Elm Grove, Ohio county. Present minister took charge Aug. 23. 1903.

Church Officers—Church Trustees, Mr. C. C. Woods, Mr. Samuel Patterson; other committeemen, Mr. Gilchrist, Mr. Crockard, Mr. Muhn; Registrar, Mr. Crockard, address Elm Grove, W. Va.; Treasurer, Mr. Chas. C. Woods, address Park View, W. Va.; Superintendent of Sunday School, Mr. C. C. Woods, Park View, W. Va.; Sunday School Secretary and Treasurer, Mrs. B. C. Ryan.

Official Acts—Baptisms, infants, 6; adults, 3; total, 9; presented for confirmation since last report, 7; Catechisings, Sundays; public services, Sundays, 68; other days, 24; total, 92; Holy Communion, public, 6; total, 6.

Communicants—Number last reported, 20; admitted by confirmation, 7; total gain, 7; net gain, 7; present number total, 27.

Congregations—Baptized persons connected with Parish, 30; confirmed persons connected with Parish, 27; families, 20; number sittings in church, 100; number free sittings, 100.

Rector's Salary—As pledged from this congregation, $600.00; from diocesan missions, $200.00; total, $800.00.

Organizations—Sunday Schools, officers and teachers, male, 2; female, 6; total, 8; pupils, male, 35; female, 39; total, 74; advent offering, $3.61; lenten offering, $6.10; total Sunday School offerings, $9.71; Altar Guild, Jane Pryor Society.

Property—Church, wood; other property, rectory lot, value $600. Indebtedness, on church, none; on other property, on lot for rectory, $332.00.

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Receipts—For all purposes—Pledges and subscriptions, $329.12; contributions from without, $247.49; income from other sources, $3.61; total receipts for all purposes, $580.22.

Disbursements—For current expenses—Salary of rector, 8 months, $50, $400.00; painting church, $48.00; ordinary repairs to church, $18.74; other current expenses, $8.20; Sunday School treat, $7.01; total for current expenses, $481.95. *Contributions—For objects in the Diocese*—Permanent fund, $2.76; diocesan missions, $14.77; widows and orphans, aged and disabled clergy fund, $4.01; colored work to Bishop Gravatt, $3.00; total contributions for objects in the Diocese, $24.54. *Contributions—For objects without the Diocese*—Domestic missions general, $6.24 1-2; total domestic missions, $6.24 1-2; foreign missions general, $6.24 1-2; Brazil, $1.00; Cuba, $1.00; total foreign missions, $8.24 1-2; Sunday School lenten offering, $6.10; total contributions for objects without the Diocese, $20.59.

Financial Summary—Current expenses raised by congregation as above, $230.85; contributions, for objects in the Diocese, $24.54; for objects without the Diocese, $20.59; total of contributions, $45.13; all money raised by the congregation for current expenses and for contributions, $275.98; balance on hand, $53.14.

Remarks—The church building is used for the meetings of the Sunday School.

PAROCHIAL REPORT.

Rev. S. SCOLLAY MOORE, D. D., address Parkersburg. Trinity Church;

Trinity Parish, Parkersburg, Wood county. Date of organization, 1843. Present minister took charge April 15, 1888.

Church Officers—Church wardens, Dr. W. H. Sharp, Dr. T. B. Camden; other Vestrymen, Mr. B. M. Ambler, Mr. J. N. Camden, Mr. W. N. Chancellor, Mr. C. C. Martin, Mr. H. H. Moss, Mr. Simms Powell, Mr. W. J. Robb, Mr. B. D. Spilman, Mr. W. M. Trevor, Col. W. Vrooman; Registrar, Mr. Simms Powell, address Parkersburg, W. Va.; Treasurer, Dr. W. H. Sharp, address Parkersburg, W. Va.; Superintendent of Sunday School, Mr. B. M. Ambler, Parkersburg, W. Va.; Sunday School Secretary, Mr. Cecil Fitzhugh; Sunday School Treasurer, Mr. M. Q. Shrewsbury.

Official Acts—Baptisms, infants, 16; adults, 12; total 28; presented for confirmation since last report, 20; marriages, 32; burials, 26; public services, Sundays, 101; other days, 97; total, 198; Holy Communion, public, 36.

Communicants—Number last reported, 298; received by letter, 5; admitted by confirmation, 20; added otherwise, 7; total gain, 32; died, 5; removed without letter, 17; total loss, 22; net gain, 10; present number total, 308.

Congregations—Baptized persons connected with Parish, $525; confirmed persons connected with Parish, 320; families, 200; individuals not thus included, 50; whole number of individuals, 600; number sittings in church, 550; number free sittings, 100; number sittings in Sunday School room, 200.

Rector's Salary—As pledged from this congregation, $1,800.00.

Organizations—Sunday, Schools, officers and teachers, male, 4; female, 10; total, 14; pupils, male, 42, female, 59; total 101; advent offering, $15.15; lenten offering, $22.50; other offerings, $34.33; total Sunday School offerings, $71.98; Woman's Auxiliary, members, 30; Woman's Guild, members, 60; Junior Auxiliary, members, 29; King's Daughters, members, 18.

Property—Church, stone, insurance $8,000, value $30,000; rectory, brick, insurance $3,000, value $9,000; Sunday School room brick, insurance $2,300, value $7,000; other property, insurance $3,300, value $5,500; Episcopal residence, brick, insurance $6,000, value $15,000; total value insurance $22,600, value $66,500. Indebtedness, on rectory, $550; other debts, $450; total indebtedness, $1,000.

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Receipts—For all purposes—Pledges and subscriptions, $978.56; pew rent, $2,355.75; collections in church, $1,332.09; money borrowed, $100.00; specials for permanent fund, etc, $3,555.25; Sunday School, $71.98; Woman's Auxiliary, money, $276.76; Woman's Auxiliary, boxes, value, $139.16; Guilds, or other societies, $632.30; income from other sources, $75.00; total receipts for all purposes, $9,516.85.

Disbursements—For current expenses—Salary of rector, $1,800.00; other

salaries, $800.00; ordinary repairs, $339.26; interest on debt, $59.13; other current expenses, $515.21; other objects, $178.84; total for current expenses, $3,692.44. *Contributions—For objects in the Parish*—Communion alms, $34.50; Parish missions, $254.02; maintaining Sunday Schools, $49.36; payment on debts for building, etc., $72.00; total contributions for objects in the Parish, $409.88. *Contributions—For objects in the Diocese*—Salary of Bishops, $525.00; permanent fund, $3,111.25; diocesan missions, $439.00; convocation missions, $21.97; widows and orphans, aged and disabled clergy fund, $92.60; religious and theological education, $19.77; Sheltering Arms Hospital, $229.73; Bishop's special fund, $344.00; other objects, $12.00; total contributions for objects in the Diocese, $4,795.32. *Contributions—For objects without the Diocese*—Domestic missions general, $111.52; through American Church Missionary Society, $20.78; total domestic missions, $132.30; foreign missions general, $111.52; through American Church Missionary Society, $20.77; total foreign missions, $132.29; specials, boxes, etc., $202.36; woman's Auxiliary, united offering, $106.26; Woman's lenten self-denial offering, $46.00; total contributions for objects without the Diocese, $619.21.

Financial Summary—Current expenses raised by congregation as above, $3,692.44; contributions, for objects in the Parish, $409.88; for objects in the Diocese, $4,795.32; for objects without the Diocese, $619.21; total of contributions, $5,824.41; all money raised by the congregation for current expenses and for contributions, $9,516.85.

PAROCHIAL REPORT.

Rev. S. SCOLLAY MOORE, D. D., address Parkersburg, W. Va. St. Stephen's Mission (Colored), Parkersburg, Wood county. Date of organization, 1896. Present minister took charge, 1896.

Official Acts—Marriages, 2; burials, 1; public services, Sundays, 46; total, 46; Holy Communion, public, 4.

Communicants—Number last reported, 12; died, 1; removed without letter, 3; total loss, 4; net loss, 4; present number total, 8.

Congregations—Baptized persons connected with Parish, 12; confirmed persons connected with Parish, 9; families, 6; whole number of individuals, 20; number sittings in chapel, 40.

Property—Chapel, frame, insurance $600, value $900; other property, value $100; total value, insurance $600; value $1,000. Indebtedness, on chapel, $470; total indebtedness, $470.

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Receipts—For all purposes—Collections in church, $30.00; rent from in-

vestments, $50.00; Guilds or other societies, $25.10; total receipts for all purposes, $105.10.

Disbursements—For current expenses—Insurance, $4.80; ordinary repair, $13.31; interest on debt, $37.50; other current expenses, $13.47; total for current expenses, $69.08. *Contributions—For objects in the Parish*—Payment on debts for building, etc., $34.02. *Contributions—For objects in the Diocese*—Diocesan missions, $1.00; total contributions for objects in the Diocese, $1.00. *Contributions—For objects without the Diocese*—Domestic missions general, 50 cents; total domestic missions, 50 cents; foreign missions general, 50 cents; total foreign missions, 50 cents; total contributions for objects without the Diocese, $1.00.

Financial Summary—Current expenses raised by congregation as above, $69.08; contributions, for objects in the Parish, $34.02; for objects in the Diocese, $1.00; for objects without the Diocese, $1.00; total of contributions $36.02; all money raised by the congregation for current expenses and for contributions, $105.10.

PAROCHIAL REPORT.

Rev. C. C. PIERSON, address Berkeley Springs, W. Va. St. Mark's Church, Morgan county. Date of organization, 1879. Present minister took charge 1896.

Church Officers—Church Warden, J. H. Hunter; other Vestrymen, F. B. Reed, G. E. Gilpin; Registrar, G. E. Gilpin, address Berkeley Springs; Treasurer, F. B. Reed, address Berkeley Springs; Superintendent of Sunday School, the Rector.

Official Acts—Catechisings, nearly every Sunday; public services, Sundays, 50; other days, 31; total, 81; Holy Communion, public, 13.

Communicants—Number last reported, 25; admitted by confirmation, 1; total gain, 1; transferred, 3; total loss, 2; net loss, 2; present number total, 23.

Congregations—aFmilies 12; individuals not thus included, 1; whole number of individuals, 23; number sittings in church, 250; number free sittings, all free.

Rector's Salary—As pledged from this congregation, $300.00; from diocesan missions, $100.00; from generad board, $100.00; total, $500.00.

Organizations—Sunday Schools, officers and teachers, male, 1; female, 3; total, 4; pupils, male, 8; female, 9; total, 17; advent offering, $6.92. total Sunday School offerings, $6.92; Woman's Auxiliary, members, 14; St. Mark's Guild, 22.

Property—Church, wood, insurance $1,500.00; rectory, wood, insurance $1,500.00; total value, $3,000.00. Indebtedness, on diocesan assessment for Bishop's fund, $7.75; total indebtedness, $7.75. Money raised from out-

side sources, $41.00; for what objects used, heater in church, $9.00; insurance on church, $18.50; insurance on rectory, $13.50; total $41.00.

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Receipts—For all purposes—Pledges and subscriptions, $143.50; collections in church, $83.54; Woman's Auxiliary, money, $30.00; Woman's Auxiliary boxes, value, $50.00; Guilds, or other societies, $131.44; total receipts for all purposes, $438.48.

Disbursements—For current expenses—Salary of rector, $300.00; other salaries, $36.75; insurance, $32.00; ordinary repairs, rectory and church, $35.15; other current expenses, $20.05; total for current expenses, $423.95. *Contributions—For objects in the Parish*—Maintaining Sunday Schools, $3.07; total contributions for objects in the Parish, $3.07. *Contributions—For objects in the Diocese*—Salary of Bishops, $17.25; permanent fund, $8.00; diocesan missions, $25.82; convocation missions, $14.00; Sheltering Arms Hospital, $3.84; total contributions for objects in the Diocese, $68.91. *Contributions—For objects without the Diocese*—Domestic missions general, up to this date, $40.00; total foreign missions, $40.00; total contributions for objects without the Diocese, $40.00.

Financial Summary—Current expenses raised by congregation as above, $423.95; contributions, for objects in the Parish, $3.07; for objects in the Diocese, $68.91; for objects without the Diocese, $40.00; total, $111.98; cash in hand, to repair rectory, $20.90.

Rt. Rev. C. CLIFTON PENICK, D. D., address Fairmont, W. Va. Christ Church, Fairmont, Marion county. Present minister took charge September 15, 1899.

Church Officers—Church Wardens, J. E. Sands, J. C. Smith, other vestrymen, Geo. H. Brobst, Geo. De Bolt, Jno. Henshaw, Sam'l Holbert, Edwin Allen Russell, Wm. E. Watson; Registrar, Sam'l Holbert, address Fairmont, W. Va.; Treasurer, Geo. H. Brobst, address Fairmont, W. Va.; Superintendent of Sunday Schools, Rector; Sunday School Secretary and Treasurer, Arthur Brobst.

Official Acts—Baptisms, infants, 2; presented for confirmation since last report, 2; marriages, 1; burials, 9; catechisings, 44; public services, Sundays, 100; other days, 20; total, 120; Holy Communion, public, 14; private, 1; total, 15.

Communicants—Number last reported, 136; received by letter, 3; admitted by confirmation, 2; added otherwise, 1; total gain, 6; died, 3; transferred, 1; removed without letter, 10; not otherwise, accounted for, 4; total loss, 18; net loss, 12; present number total, 124.

Congregations—Baptized persons connected with Parish, 124; confirmed

persons connected with Parish, 124; families, 48; individuals not thus included, about 100; whole number of individuals, about 250; number of scattered communicants in your section not connected with any Parish, 6; number sittings in church, 150; number free sittings, 150; number sittings in Sunday School room, 100.

Rector's Salary—As pledged from this congregation, $1,200.00.

Organizations—Sunday Schools, officers and teachers, male, 2; female, 6; total, 8; pupils, male, 20; female, 27; total, 47; Advent offering, $8.93; Lenten offerings, $50.00; other offerings, $100.00; total Sunday School offerings, $158.93; Woman's Auxiliary, members, 26; Daughters of King, 8.

Property—Church brick, insurance, $1.500; value, $3.500; total value, $3,500; indebtedness, other debts, $625.69; total indebtedness, $625.69.

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Receipts—For all Purposes—Cash on hand, per last report, $203.23; pledges and subscriptions, $1,320.58; collections in church, $360.00; money borrowed, $625.69; Sunday School, $75.70; Woman's Auxiliary, money, $185.52; Woman's Auxiliary, boxes, value, $140.15; income from other sources, $252.72; total receipts for all purposes, $3,163.59.

Disbursements—For Current Expenses—Salary of rector, $1,200.00; salary of assistant, $200.00; other salaries, $402.92; other current expenses, $170.00; other objects, $50.00; total for current expenses, $2,022.92. *Contributions—For objects in the Parish*—Communion alms, $50.00; maintaining Sunday Schools, $10.00; total contributions for objects in the Parish, $60.00. *Contributions—For objects in the Diocese*—Salary of Bishops, $100.00; diocesan missions, $75.00; convocation missions, $50.00; religious and theological education, $100.00; Sheltering Arms Hospital, $20.00; bishop's special fund, $5.00; total contributions for objects in the Diocese, $350.00. *Contributions—For objects without the Diocese*—Domestic missions general, $50.00; deaf and dumb, $5.00; total domestic missions, $55.00; foreign missions general, $250.00; Brazil, $50.00; total foreign missions, $300.00; specials, $140.15; other objects, $235.52; total contributions for objects without the Diocese, $730.65.

Financial Summary—Contributions—For objects in the Parish, $2,082.92; for objects in the Diocese, $350.00; for objects without the Diocese, $730.67; total contributions, $3,163.59.

Remarks—The fact that the headquarters of the Consolidated Coal Company moved from Fairmont has caused many to leave here and greatly upset financial ability of this congregation. It would be wise for the Diocese not to count too largely upon Fairmont in the immediate future for fear of disappointment. Go slow and watch developments.

C. C. PENICK.

PAROCHIAL REPORT.

Rev. JAMES F. PLUMMER, address Clarksburg, W. Va. Christ Church, Clarksburg, Harrison county. Present minister took charge January 21, 1904.

Church Officers—Church Wardens, Mortimer W. Smith, J. W. Williams; other vestrymen, W. F. Nuzum, Chas. B. Alexander, Geo. L. Duncan, Percy W. Goff, M. D., E. D. Shepherd; Registrar, Chas. B. Alexander, address 670 Mulberry street; Treasurer, J. W. Williams, address 456 W. Main street; Superintendent of Sunday Schools, the Rector; Sunday School Secretary and Treasurer, Miss S. Scollay Page.

Official Acts—Baptisms, infants, 4; marriages, 1; catechisings, 2; public services, Sundays, 41; other days, 60; total, 101; Holy Communion, public, 3.

Communicants—Number last reported, 156; died, 2; removed without letter, 1; total loss, 3; net loss, 3; present number total, 106.

Congregations—Baptized persons connected with Parish, (estimated) 250; confirmed persons connected with Parish, 150; families, 67; individuals not thus included, 25; whole number individuals, 300; number free sittings, all.

Rector's Salary—As pledged from this congregation, $1,200.00.

Organizations—Sunday Schools, No. 1, officers and teachers, male, 1; female, 4; total, 5; pupils, male, 29; female, 19; total 48; No. 2, officers and teachers, male, 1; female, 3; total 4; pupils, male, 15; female, 10; total, 25; Lenten offering, $16.56; other offerings, $3.33; total Sunday School offerings, $19.89; Woman's Auxiliary, members, 15; Ladies' Aid Society, Daughters of the King. Location of schools mentioned above, No. 1, at the church; No. 2, at the chapel, Northview.

Property—Church, brick, insurance, $5,000; value, $10,000; chapel, brick, insurance, $1200; value, $2,000; rectory, frame, insurance, $2,500; value, $8,000; indebtedness, on chapel, $450; on other property, $468; other debts, $1,700; total indebtedness, $2,618.

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Receipts—For all Purposes—Cash on hand, February 1, 1904, $21.19; pledges and subscriptions, $755.55; collections in church, $1,164.36; Sunday School, $3.33; Woman's Auxiliary, money, $40.00; guilds or other societies, $170.26; total receipts for all purposes, $2,154.69.

Disbursements—For Current Expenses—Salary of rector, $500.00; other salaries, $23.75; insurance, $40.00; interest on debt, included in "payment on debts;" other current expenses, $67.86; total for current expenses, $631.61. *Contributions—For objects in the Parish*—Communion alms, $7.45; extraordinary repairs and improvements, $270.50; payment on debts for building, current expenses, etc., $567.95; relief of sick and needy by

Daughters of the King, $45.00; total contributions for objects in the Parish, $890.00. *Contributions—For objects in the Diocese*—Salary of bishops, $250.00; permanent fund, $144.00; diocesan missions, $44.25; convocation missions, $2.10; religious and theological education, $5.03; Sheltering Arms Hospital, $2.50; printing fund, Woman's Auxiliary, $2.00; total contributions for objects in the Diocese, $449.88. *Contributions—For objects without the Diocese*—Jews, $2.65; foreign missions general, $33.28; through American Church Missionary Society, $6.60; Brazil, (Woman's Auxiliary) $5.00; total foreign missions, $47.53; general clergy relief fund, $10.00; united offering, Woman's Auxiliary, $25.50; total contributions for objects without the Diocese, $83.03.

Financial Summary—Current expenses raised by congregation as above, $631.61. *Contributions*—For objects in the Parish, $8.90; for objects in the Diocese, $449.88; for objects without the Diocese, $83.03; total of contributions, $1,422.91; all money raised by the congregation for current expenses and for contributions, $2,054.52; cash in hand, $100.17.

Remarks—The present rector entered upon the rectorship of the Parish January 21 of the current year. The Parish had been vacant since the resignation of the former rector, Rev. Thos. W. Cooke, in June, 1903. The congregation of the chapel at Northview is in so unsettled a condition that no definite report from there has been found practicable. Services and Sunday School are held there Sunday afternoon, whenever sufficient number of the people appear.

PAROCHIAL REPORT.

Rev. R. D. ROLLER, D. D., address Charleston, W. Va. Assistant, C. Hely Molony. St. John's Church, Kanawha Parish, Charleston, Kanawha county. Date of organization 1788. Present minister took charge 1888.

Church Officers—Church Wardens, Jas. F. Lewis, J. Lynn Richardson; other vestrymen, S. S. Green, J. T. Waters, D. C. Gallaher, W. G. Hubbard, Alfred Phillips, C. E. Ward, O. F. Payne; Registrar, S. S. Green, address Charleston, W. Va.; Treasurer, J. T. Waters, address Charleston, W. Va.; Superintendent of Sunday Schools, the Rector; Miss E. P. Barber, Paint Creek, W. Va.; Sunday School Secretary and Treasurer, J. T. Waters.

Official Acts—Baptisms, infants, 13; adults, 3; total, 16; presented for confirmation since last report, 21; marriages, 8; burials, (hospital, 15), 34; public services, Sundays, 151; other days, 109; total, 260; Holy Communion, public, 30.

Communicants—Number last reported, 267; received by letter, 5; admitted by confirmation, 21; added otherwise, 33; total gain, 59; died, 6; transferred, 2; removed without letter, 8; total loss, 16; net gain, 43; present number total, 310.

Congregations—Baptized persons connected with Parish, 577; confirmed persons connected with Parish, 329; families and individuals not thus included, 200; whole number of individuals, 597; number free sittings, 500; number sittings in chapel and Sunday School room, 200.

Rector's Salary—As pledged from this congregation, $1,300.00; from diocesan missions, assistant, $300.00.

Organizations—Sundays Schools, No. 1, officers and teachers, male, 2; female, 11; total, 13; pupils, total, 130; No. 2, officers and teachers, 1; pupils, total 66; No. 3, officers and teachers, male, 1; pupils, total, 40; No. 4, officers and teachers, male, 2; pupils, total, 15; total officers and teachers, 17; pupils, total, 251; Advent offering, $44.81; Lenten offering, $66.83; other offerings, $103.16; total Sunday School offerings, $214.80; Woman's Auxiliary, members, 30; Ladies' Guild, 10; Ladies' Aid Society, 32; Rector's Aid, 26; vested choir, 35. Location of schools mentioned above, 1, St. John's, Charleston; 2, Crown Hill; 3, Paint Creek; 4, Carbon.

Property—Church, stone, insurance, $18,000.00; value, $48,627.00; rectory, frame insurance $2,400.00; value, $10,000.00; Parish house, brick, insurance, $4,000.00; value, $10,000.00; other property, lot, $3,000.00; Sheltering Arms Hospital, frame, insurance, $6,000.00; value, $10,000.00; total value insurance, $30,400; total value, $81,627; indebtedness, on Parish house, $5,000.00; total indebtedness, $5,000.00.

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Receipts—For all Purposes—Cash on hand, per last report, $18.00; pledges and subscriptions, $2,472.50; collections in church, $800.00; thank offerings, $109.90; Sunday Schol, $214.80; Woman's Auxiliary, money, $92.96; Woman's Auxiliary, boxes, value, $25.00; guilds or other societies, $1,143.50; income from other sources, $1,091.86; total receipts for all purposes $5,968.52; $183.50 sent direct to trustees of permanent fund.

Disbursements—For Current Expenses—Salary of rector, $1,300.00; other salaries, $812.46; insurance, $80.00; ordinary repairs, $92.82; other current expenses, $388.38; total for current expenses, $2,673.66. *Contributions—For objects in the Parish*—Extraordinary repairs and improvements, $389.15; Parish missions, $281.08; maintaining Sunday Schools, $82.29; charity, $45.30; Parish house, $1,318.50; total contributions for objects in the Parish, $2,116.32. *Contributions—For objects in the Diocese*—Salary of bishops, $275.00; permanent fund, $186.50; diocesan missions, $230.00; convocation missions, $15.00; widows and orphans, aged and disabled clergy fund, $25.50; religious and theological education, $6.28; Sheltering Arms Hospital, $109.90; bishop's special fund, $26.00; total contributions for objects in the Diocese, $693.68. *Contributions—For objects without the Diocese*—Domestic missions general, $33.35; Jews, $6.96; total domestic missions, $40.31; Brazil, $10.00; total foreign missions, $10.00; specials, boxes, &c., $44.61; American church building fund, $3.10; general clergy relief fund, $20.53; total contributions for objects without the Diocese, $118.55.

Financial Summary—Current expenses raised by congregation as above, $2,673.66. *Contributions*—For objects in the Parish, $2,116.32; for objects in the Diocese, $780.18; for objects without the Diocese, $118.55; total of contributions, $2,928.55; all money raised by the congregation for current expenses and for contributions, $5,685.71; cash in hand, $366.31.

Remarks—Twenty-one of the communicants reported under St. John's Church, are in the missions of the Parish.

PAROCHIAL REPORT.

Rev. CHAS. E. SHAW, address New Martinsville. St. Ann's Church, Wetzel Parish, New Martinsville, Wetzel county. Date of organization, 1851. Present minister took charge, April 15, 1902.

Church Officers—Church Wardens, S. R. Martin, S. Bruce Hall; other vestrymen, Jno. F. Martin, Wm. McG. Hall, Leslie Williams, Jno. H. Bridgeman, James Newman; Registrar, Wm. McG. Hall, address New Martinsville; Treasurer, S. R. Martin, address New Martinsville; Superintendents of Sunday Schools, C. E. Shaw, New Martinsville; Sunday School Secretary and Treasurer, Miss Anna Reithmiller.

Official Acts—Baptisms, infants, 5; presented for confirmation since last report, 9; marriages, 1; burials, 1; catechisings, 45; public services, Sundays, 100; other days, 66; total, 166; Holy Communion, public, 19.

Communicants—Number last reported, 36; received by letter, 2; admitted by confirmation, 9; restored to communion, 6; added otherwise, 1; total gain, 18; removed without letter, 4; total loss, 4; net gain, 14; present number total, 50.

Congregations—Baptized persons connected with Parish, 94; confirmed persons connected with Parish, 55; families, 25; individuals not thus included, 8; whole number of individuals, 101; number of scattered communicants in your section not connected with any Parish, 3; number sittings in church, 200; number free sittings, 200; number sittings in chapel, 70.

Rector's Salary—As pledged from this congregation, $700.00; from general board, $100.00; total, $800.00.

Organizations—Sunday Schools, officers and teachers, male, 1; female, 5; total, 6; pupils, male, 12; female, 12; total, 24; Advent offering, $7.00; Lenten offering, $10.16; other offerings, $4.31; total Sunday School offerings, $21.47; Rector's Aid Society, Rector's Senior Aid Society, Rector's Guild. Location of schools mentioned above, New Martinsville.

Property—Church, wood, insurance, $3,000; value, $5,000; chapel, wood, value, $1,000; rectory, wood, insurance, $1.000; value, $4,000; total insurance, $4,000; total value, $10,000; indebtedness, on church, $2,760; total indebtedness, $2,760.

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Receipts—For all Purposes—Cash on hand, per last report, $12.52; pledges and subscriptions, $1,633.64; collections in church, $548.59; money borrowed, $2,760.00; Sunday School $21.47; guilds or other societies, $191.96; total receipts for all purposes, $5,168.18.

Disbursements—For Current Expenses—Salary of rector, $700.00; insurance, $51.00; ordinary repairs, $7.50; interest on debt, $120.00; other current expenses, $48.95; Woman's guilds, $136.10; total for current expenses, $1,063.55. *Contributions—For objects in the Parish*—Communion alms, $17.54; extraordinary repairs and improvements, $1,358.00; maintaining Sunday Schools, $9.21; payments on debts for building, &c., $2,511.65; total contributions for objects in the Parish, $3,896.40. *Contributions—For objects in the Diocese*—Salary of bishops, $40.00; permanent fund, $12.10; diocesan missions, $43.61; convocation missions, $2.83; widows and orphans aged and disabled clergy fund, $9.76; religious and theological education, $4.02; Sheltering Arms Hospital, $8.34; theological seminary, $2.00; total contributions for objects in the Diocese, $122.66. *Contributions—For objects without the Diocese*—Domestic missions general, $20.59; colored people, $2.27; Indians, 69 cents; deaf and dumb, $5.82; Jews, $1.04; through American Church Missionary Society, $8.00; total domestic missions, $38.41; for Mexico, $1.50; through American Missionary Society, $3.17; total foreign missions, $4.67; general clergy relief fund, $2.91; Bible and prayer book society, $3.78; total contributions for objects without the Diocese, $19.77.

Financial Summary—Current expenses raised by congregation as above, $5,168.18. *Contributions*—For objects in the Parish, $4,959.95; for objects in the Diocese, $122.66; for objects without the Diocese, $49.77; total of contributions, $5,132.38; all money raised by the congregation for current expenses and for contributions, $5,132.38; cash in hand, $35.80.

PAROCHIAL REPORT.

Rev. GEO. C. SHAW, address St. Mary's, W. Va. Grace Church, St. Marys, Pleasants county. Date of organization, 1899. Present minister took charge June 16, 1901.

Church Officers—Church Wardens—R. L. Pemberton, R. H. Browse; other Committeemen, E. A. Sayer, J. C. Noland, George Kelsall; Registrar, J. C. Noland, address St. Marys, W. Va.; Treasurer, George Kelsall, address St. Marys, W. Va.; Superintendent of Sunday School, George Kelsall, St. Marys, W. Va.; Sunday School Secretary and Treasurer, J. C. Noland.

Official Acts—Baptisms, adults, 2; presented for confirmation since last report, 1; marriages, 1; catechisings, 6; public services, Sundays, 70; other days, 10; total, 80; Holy Communion, public, 6.

Communicants—Number last reported, 28; received by letter, 1; admitted by confirmation, 1; total gain, 2; removed without letter, 1; total loss, 1; net gain, 1; present number total, 29.

Congregations—Baptized persons connected with Parish, 30; confirmed persons connected with Parish, 29; individuals not thus included, 20; whole number of individuals, 49; number of scattered communicants in your section not connected with any Parish, 1; number sittings in church, 200; number free sittings, 200.

Rector's Salary—As pledged from this congregation, $280.00; from diocesan missions, $255.00; from general board, $100.00; total, $635.00.

Organizations—Sunday Schools, officers and teachers, male, 4; female, 3; total, 7; pupils, male, 12; female, 20; total, 32; other offerings, $24.00; total Sunday School offerings, $24.00; Grace Guild, members, 15.

Property—Church, brick, insurance $1,500.00, value $4,000.00; rectory, wood, insurance $1,200.00, value $2,200.00; total value, insurance $2,700.00, value $6,200.00. Indebtedness, on church, $280.00; on rectory, $2,000.00; total indebtedness, $2,280.00.

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Receipts—For all purposes—Pledges and subscriptions, $300.00; collections in church, $100.00; thank offerings, $71.00; Sunday School, $24.00; Guilds or other societies, $110.00; total receipts for all purposes, $605.00.

Disbursements—For current expenses—Salary of rector, $280.00; interest on debt, $144.00; other current expenses, $61.00; total for current expenses, $485.00. *Contributions—For objects in the Parish*—Maintaining Sunday Schools, $24.00; payment on debts for building, etc., $120.00; total contributions for objects in the Parish, $144.00. *Contributions—For objects in the Diocese*—Salary of Bishops, $15.00; diocesan missions, $15.00; total contributions for objects in the diocese, $30.00.

Financial Summary—Current expenses raised by congregation as above, $485.00; contributions, for objects in the Parish, $144.00; for objects in the diocese, $30.00; total of contributions, $174.00; all money raised by the congregation for current expenses and for contributions, $659.00.

PAROCHIAL REPORT.

Rev. Geo. C. SHAW, address St. Marys, W. Va. St. John's Church Parish, Willow, Pleasants county. Date of organization, 1853. Present minister took charge July 1, 1903.

Church Officers—Church Wardens, F. M. Triplett, John W. Norris; other Vestrymen, J. H. Ralston; Registrar, John W. Norris, address Willow, W. Va.; Treasurer, John W. Norris, address Willow, W. Va.

Official Acts—Presented for confirmation since last report, 1; public services, Sundays, 6; total, 6; Holy Communion, public, 1.

Communicants—Number last reported, 10; admitted by confirmation, 1; total gain, 1; net gain, 1; present number total, 11.

Congregations—Baptized persons connected with Parish, 18; families, 6; individuals not thus included, 10; whole number of individuals, 28; number sittings in church, $100; number free sittings, 100.

Rector's Salary—As pledged from this congregation, $37.50.

Property—Church, wood, value $500; total value, $500. Indebtedness, due the minister, $11.00; due on diocesan assessment for missions, $1.00; due on diocesan assessment for Bishop's fund, $5.00; total indebtedness, $17.00.

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Receipts—For all purposes—Cash on hand, per last report, $40.00; pledges and subscriptions, $26.00; collections in church, $8.00; total receipts for all purposes, $74.00.

Disbursements—For current expenses—Salary of rector, $26.00; ordinary repairs, $40.00; total for current expenses, $66.00. *Contributions—For objects in the Diocese*—Diocesan missions, $4.00; convocation missions, $1.00; Bishop's special fund, $25.00; total contributions for objects in the Diocese, $30.00. *Contributions—For objects without the Diocese*—Domestic missions general, $1.50; total domestic missions, $1.50; foreign missions general, $1.50; total foreign missions, $1.50; total contributions for objects without the Diocese, $3.00.

Financial Summary—Current expenses raised by congregation as above, $66.00; contributions, for objects in the Diocese, $30.00; for objects without the Diocese, $3.00; total of contributions, $33.00; all money raised by the congregation for current expenses and for contributions, $99.00.

PAROCHIAL REPORT.

Rev. GEO. C. SHAW, address St. Marys, W. Va. Church of the Messiah Mission, Waverly, Wood county. Present minister took charge, June 16, 1901.

Church Officers—Treasurer, Mrs. Alice Corbett, address Waverly, W. Va.; Superintendent of Sunday School, C. P. Corbett, Esq., Waverly, W. Va.; Sunday School Secretary and Treasurer, Tessie Myers.

Official Acts—Baptisms, adults, 1; presented for confirmation since last report, 1; catechisings, 10; public services, Sundays, 20; other days, 10; total, 30; Holy Communion, public, 3.

Communicants—Number last reported, 10; admitted by confirmation, 1; total gain, 1; lapsed, 1; total loss, 1; present number total, 10.

Congregations—Baptized persons connected with Parish 14; confirmed persons connected with Parish, 10; families, 5; individuals not thus included, 20; whole number of individuals, 34; number sittings in church, 100; number free sittings, 100.

Rector's Salary—As pledged from this congregation, $50.00; total, $50.00.

Organizations—Sunday Schools, officers and teachers, male, 2; female, 3; total, 5; pupils, male, 12; female, 25; total, 37; lenten offering $5.00; total Sunday School offerings $5.00.

Property—Church, wood, insurance $500.00, value $1,000.00; total value, insurance $500.00, value $1,000.00. Indebtedness, on church, $200.00; total indebtedness, $200.00.

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Receipts—For all purposes—Pledges and subscriptions, $50.00; collections in church, $45.35; Sunday School, $15.00; Guilds or other societies, $50.00; total receipts for all purposes, $160.35.

Disbursements—For current expenses—Salary of rector, $50.00; interest on debt, $15.00; other current expenses, $20.00; total for current expenses, $85.00. *Contributions—For objects in the Parish*—Communion alms, $1.10; maintaining Sunday Schools, $15.00; payment on debts for building, etc., $35.00; total contributions for objects in the Parish, $51.10. *Contributions—For objects in the Diocese*—Salary of Bishops, $5.00; permanent fund, $1.00; diocesan missions, $10.05; convocation missions, $1.50; religious and theological education, 55 cents; total contributions for objects in the Diocese, $18.10. *Contributions—For objects without the Diocese*—Domestic missions general, $1.65; total domestic missions, $1.65; foreign missions general, $4.50; total foreign missions, $4.50; total contributions for objects without the Diocese, $6.15.

Financial Summary—Current expenses raised by congregation as above, $85.00; contributions, for objects in the Parish, $51.10; for objects in the Diocese, $18.10; for objects without the Diocese, $6.15; total of contributions, $75.35; all money raised by the congregation for current expenses and for contributions, $160.35.

PAROCHIAL REPORT.

Rev. GEO. C. SHAW, address Mannington. St. Andrew's Church Mission, Mannington, Marion county. Date of organization, 1891.

Church Officers—Church Warden, Henry W. G. Bostock; other Committeemen, F. H. Armstrong, Phil. Deitz, Arnold R. Demkle, John O. Huey, James H. Bostock; Registrar, Phil. Deitz, address Mannington, W. Va.; Treasurer, John O. Huey, address Mannington, W. Va.

Official Acts—Baptisms, infants, 3; total, 3; public services, Sundays, 8; other days, 3; total, 11; Holy Communion, public 1.

Communicants—Number last reported, 21; received by letter, 3; total gain, 3; net gain, 3; present number total, 24.

Congregations—Baptized persons connected with Parish, 44; confirmed persons connected with Parish, 24; families, 16; individuals not thus included, 20; whole number of individuals, 64; number sittings in church, 150; number free sittings, 150; number sittings in Sunday School room, 100.

Organizations—St. Andrew's Guild, 20.

Property—Church, wood, insurance $2,500, value $6,000; total value, insurance, $2,500, total value $6.000. Indebtdness on church, $800; furniture, $435; total indebtedness, $1,235.

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Receipts—For all purposes—Pledges and subscriptions, $750.00; collections in church, $15.00; Guilds or other societies, $626.00; total receipts for all purposes, $1,391.00.

Disbursements—For current expenses—Insurance, $32.00; interest on debt, $30.00; other current expenses, $50.00; total for current expenses, $112.00. *Contributions—For objects in the Parish*—Communion alms, $5.00; Extraordinary repairs and improvements, $1,176.00; payment on debts for building, etc., $200.00; total contributions for objects in the Parish, $1,381.00. *Contributions—For objects in the Diocese*—Diocesan missions, $3.00; total contributions for objects in the diocese, $3.00. *Contributions—For objects without the Diocese*—Domestic missions general, $1.00. total domestic missions, $1.00; total contributions for objects without the Diocese, $1.00.

Financial Summary—Current expenses raised by congregation as above, $112.00; contributions, for objects in the Parish, $1,381.00; for objects in the Diocese, $3.00; for objects without the Diocese, $1.00; total contributions, $1,385.00; all money raised by the congregation for current expenses and for contributions, $1,497.00.

Remarks—This church has been vacant during the year and this report is as complete as data at hand will allow it to be made. The Rev. Geo. C. Shaw took charge May 1st, 1904.

PAROCHIAL REPORT.

Rev. EDWIN B. SNEAD, address Buckhannon, W. Va. Spruce Chapel Mission, Spruce, Upshur county. Present minister took charge June 21, 1903.

Church Officers—Warden, Wm. Londen, address Atlas, W. Va., Registrar, G. W. Spaulding, address Atlas, W. Va.; Treasurer, Jno. Dowell, address Atlas, W. Va.; Superintendent of Sunday School, Mrs. Olive Maple, Atlas, W. Va.

Official Acts—Baptisms, infants, 2; presented for confirmation since last report, 1; public services, Sundays, every third Sunday, 7; other days, 3; total, 10; Holy Communion, public, 1.

Communicants—Number last reported, 10; admitted by confirmation, 1; total gain, 1; net gain, 1; present number total, 11.

Congregations—Baptized persons conected with Parish, 21; confirmed persons connected with Parish, 11; families, 6; number sittings in chapel, 80.

Rector's Salary—As pledged from this congregation $50.00.

Organizations—Sunday Schools, officers and teachers, female, 3; total 3; pupils, male, 8; female, 7; total, 15.

Property—Chapel, insurance $500.00, value $800.00; rectory, value, $400; total value, insurance $500.00, value $1,200.00.

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Receipts—For all purposes—Pledges and subscriptions, $35.00; collections in church $6.00; Sunday School, $3.30; Guilds or other societies, $29.95; total receipts for all purposes, $74.25.

Disbursements—For current expenses—Salary of rector, $35.00; total for current expenses, $35.00. *Contributions—For objects in the Diocese*—Salary of Bishops, $2.00; dioceson missions, $2.00; total contributions for objects in the Diocese, $4.00. *Contributions—For objects without the Diocese*—Domestic missions general, $1.00; total domestic missions, $1.00; foreign missions general, $1.00; total foreign missions, $1.00; total contributions for objects without the Diocese, $2.00.

Financial Summary—Current expenses raised by congregation as above, $35.00; contributions for objects in the diocese, $4; for objects without the Diocese, $2; total contributions, $6; all money raised by the congregations for current expenses and for contributions, $74.25; cash in hand, $33.25.

PAROCHIAL REPORT.

Rev. EDWIN B. SNEAD, address Buckhannon, W. Va. Church of the Transfiguration, Buckhannon Mission, Upshur county. Date of organization, Aug. 1, 1903. Present minister took charge June 21, 1903.

Church Officers—Church Warden, E. C. Higginbotham; Registrar, J. J. Singleton, address, Buckhannon, W. Va.; Treasurer, C. O. Latham, address Buckhannon, W. Va.; Lay Reader, W. H. Howard.

Official Acts—Presented for confirmation since last report, 4; marriages, 1; burials, 1; public services, Sundays, 86; other days, 14; total, 100; Holy Communion, Public, 10.

Communicants—Number last reported, 19; admitted by confirmation, 4; restored to communion, 1; added otherwise, 8; total gain, 13; transferred, 1; removed without letter, 6; total loss, 7; net gain, 6; present number total, 25.

Congregations—Baptized persons connected with Parish, 28; confirmed persons connected with Parish, 25; families, 8; whole number of individuals, 28; number of scattered communicants in your section not connected with any Parish, 1; number sittings in church, 160; number free sittings, 160.

Rector's Salary—As pledged from this congregation, $450.00; from diocesan missions, $300.00; total, $750.00.

Organizations—Ladies' Guild, 7.

..*Property*—Church, insurance $1,500.00, value $3,000.00; total value, insurance $1,500.00, value $3,000.00.

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Receipts—For all purposes—Cash on hand, per last report, $5.47; pledges and subscriptions, $294.46; collections in church, $71.68; thank offerings, $54.10; Guilds or other societies, $68.50; income from other sources, $6.65; total receipts for all purposes, $500.86.

Disbursements—For current expenses—Salary of rector, $326.24; ordinary repairs, $44.59; other current expenses, $29.43; total for current expenses, $398.26. *Contributions—For objects in the Parish*—Extraordinary repairs and improvements, $19.65; total contributions for objects in the Parish, $19.65. *Contributions—For objects in the Diocese*—Salary of Bishops, $10.00; diocesan missions, $10.00; widows and orphans, aged and disabled clergy fund, $5.00; total contributions for objects in the Diocese, $25.00. *Contributions—For objects without the Diocese*—Domestic missions general, $5.00; total domestic missions general, $5.00; foreign missions general, $5.00; total foreign missions, $5.00; total contributions for objects without the Diocese, $10.00.

Financial Summary—Current expenses raised by congregation as above, $398.26; contributions, for objects in the Parish, $19.65; for objects in the Diocese, $25.00; for objects without the Diocese, $10.00; total of contributions, $54.65; all money raised by the congregation for current expenses and for contributions. $500.86; cash in hand, $47.95.

PAROCHIAL REPORT.

Rev. P. B. STAUFFER. St. John's Church, Harper's Ferry, Jefferson

county. Date of organization, 1851. Present minister took charge Oct. 1, 1903.

Church Officers—Treasurer, Mr. G. H. Child; Superintendent of Sunday School, Mr. Banabas Bryan; Sunday School Secretary and Treasurer, Miss Emily Child; Lay Reader, Mr. Barnabas Bryan.

Official Acts—Burials, 1; catechisings, 6; public services, Sundays, 34; other days, 35; total, 69; Holy Communion, public, 9.

Communicants—Number last reported, 32; died, 1; total loss, 1; net loss, 1; present number total, 31.

Congregations—Baptized persons connected with Parish, 45; confirmed persons connected with Parish, 35; families, 16; number sittings in church, 150.

Rector's Salary—As pledged from this congregation, $125.00; as pledged from other congregations, $200.00; from convocation missions, $75.00.

Organizations—Sunday School, officers and teachers, male, 1; female, 5; total, 6; pupils, male, 24; female, 46; total, 70; advent offering, $17.00; lenten offering, $18.00; other offerings, $14.62; total Sunday School offerings, $49.62. This money is included in Treasurer's report.

Property—Church, wood, insurance $1,200.00, value $2,000.00; rectory, frame, insurance $800.00, value $1,000.00; total value, $3,000.00. Indebtedness, on rectory, $50.00; total indebtedness, $50.00.

Receipts—For all purposes—Cash on hand, per last report, $65.80; pledges and subscriptions, $124.25; collections in church, $174.17; Sunday School, $35.00; Guilds or other societies, $1.05; contributions from without, $17.00; income from other sources, $229.50; total receipts for all purposes, $646.77.

Disbursements—For current expenses—Salary of rector, $95.00; ordinary repairs, $17.46; interest on debt, $16.50; other current expenses, $85.23; Council expense, $6.00; total for current expenses, $220.19. *Contributions—For objects in the Parish*—Communion alms, $22.06; payment on debts for building, etc., $225.00; total contributions for objects in the Parish, $247.06. *Contributions—For objects in the Diocese*—Salary of Bishops, $15.25; permanent fund, $4.25; diocesan missions, $32.31; convocation missions, $2.25; widows and orphans, aged and disabled clergy fund, $7.85; religious and theological education, $1.60; Sheltering Arms Hospital, $5.50; Bishop's special fund, $6.01; total contributions for objects in the Diocese, $75.02. *Contributions—For objects without the Diocese*—Domestic missions general, $28.55; colored people, 2 cents; Indians, 2 cents; deaf and dumb, 45 cents; Jews, $1.36; total domestic missions, $3.76; for Mexico, 52 cents; through American Church Missionary Society, $6.72; total foreign missions, $7.24; Bible and Prayer Book Society, $1.50; total contributions for objects without the Diocese, $39.50.

Financial Summary—Current expenses raised by congregation as above, $220.19; contributions, for objects in the Parish, $22.06; for objects in the Diocese, $75.02; for objects without the Diocese, $39.50; total of contributions, $136.58; all money raised by the congregation for current expenses and for contributions, $335.27; cash in hand, $10.00.

Remarks—I have been requested to state that the financial report is in excess of the strength of the Parish. Excess due to summer visitors in the town during July, August and September. Resources, $646.77; expenditures, $581.77; balance, May 1, 1904, $65.00.

G. H. CHILD, *Treas.*

PAROCHIAL REPORT.

Rev. P. B. STAUFFER. Mt. Zion's Church, Hedgesville, Berkeley county. Date of organization, 1817. Present minister took charge Oct. 1, 1903.

Church Officers—Church Wardens, Mr. Geo. T. Kreglow, Mr. W. B. Linghamfelter; other Vestrymen, Jacob H. Miller, F. H. Robins, P. C. Myers, John H. Miller, R. B. Kilmer, Morgan Shaffer, Lee Linghamfelter; Registrar, R. B. Kilmer, address North Mountain; Treasurer, P. C. Myers, address Hedgesville, Superintendent of Sunday School, Geo. T. Kreglow.

Official Acts—Baptisms, infants, 6; catechisings, monthly; public services, Sundays, 27; other days, 2; total, 29; Holy Communion, public, 6.

Communicants—Number last reported, 65; present number total, 65.

Congregations—Baptized persons connected with Parish, 14; confirmed persons connected with Parish, 65; families, 37; number sittings in church, $200; number free sittings, 200

Rector's Salary—As pledged from this congregation, $200.00; as pledged from other congregations, $125.00; from convocation missions, $75.00.

Organizations—Sunday School, officers and teachers, male, 5; female, 5; total, 10; pupils, male, 24; female, 21; total, 45; Woman's Auxiliary, members, 15.

Property—Church, brick, value $2,000.00; rectory, frame, insurance $250.00, value $400.00; total value, $2,400.

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Receipts—For all purposes—Cash on hand, per last report, $9.46; pledges and subscriptions, $250.00; collections in church, $70.04; Sunday School, $30.39; Woman's Auxiliary, money, $64.00; Woman's Auxiliary box, value, $30.00; Guilds or other societies, $9.00; income from other sources, $36.00; total receipts for all purposes, $498.89.

Disbursements—For current expenses—Salary of rector, $168.83; other

salaries, $20.00; ordinary repairs, $7.03; other current expenses, $17.30; total for current expenses, $220.19. *Contributions—For objects in the Parish*—Communion alms, $3.30; maintaining Sunday Schools, $6.76; total contributions for objects in the Parish, $10.06. *Contributions—For objects in the Diocese*—Salary of Bishops, $50.00; diocesan missions, $25.00; convocation missions, $14.50; total contributions for objects in the diocese, $89.50. *Contributions—For objects without the Diocese*—Domestic missions general, $15.20; Jews, 31 cents; total domestic missions, $15.51; foreign missions general, $9.00; Brazil, $6.00; total foreign missions, $15.00; total contributions for objects without the Diocese, $30.51.

Financial Summary—Current expenses raised by congregation as above, $220.19; contributions, for objects in the Parish, $10.06; for objects in the Diocese, $89.50; for objects without the Diocese, $30.51; total of contributions, $343.23.

Remarks—Woman's Auxiliary had an entertainment to raise money for a Sunday School library, etc., and have some $60.00 in the treasury.

PAROCHIAL REPORT.

Rev. JOHN WARNOCK, address Charleston. St. Luke's Church; St. Luke's Mission, Charleston, Kanawha county. Date of organization, 1897. Present minister took charge May 1, 1903.

Church Officers—Church Warden, J. D. Lucadoe; other Vestrymen, Geo. Grishaber, Treasurer; Elijah Steen, Registrar; Geo. M. Krauss, C. P. Payne; Superintendent of Sunday School, Thos. Liversedge, Charleston; Sunday School Secretary, Miss Williams, Charleston; Treasurer, Miss Payne, Charleston; Lay Readers, Mr. J. D. Lucadoe.

Official Acts—Baptisms, infants, 5; marriages, 4; catechisings, monthly; public services, Sundays, 45; other days, 49; total, 94; Holy Communion, public, 13; private, 1; total 14.

Communicants—Number last reported, 24; admitted by confirmation, 3; total gain, 3; net gain, 3; present number total, 27.

Congregations—Baptized persons connected with Parish, 64; confirmed persons connected with Parish, 27; families, 16; number sittings in church, 100.

Rector's Salary—As pledged from this congregation, $240.00; from diocesan missions, $50.00.

Organizations—Sunday School, officers and teachers, male, 1; female, 4; total, 5; pupils, male, 19; female, 28; total, 47; Woman's Guild, Children's Guild, Boys' Club.

Property—Chapel, frame, value $1,200.00; rectory, frame, value $1,400.00; other property, vacant lot, $300.00; total value, $2,900.00. These are the values we have been using in all former reports, but real estate values

have advanced in this neighborhood recently. Indebtedness, on other property, $600.00; due on diocesan assessment for missions, $8.00; due on diocesan assessment for Bishop's fund, $7.00; estimated total indebtedness, $615.00.

FINANCIAL REPORT.

Receipts—For all purposes—Cash on hand, per last report, $3.49; pledges and subscriptions, $108.35; collections in church, $28.47; Sunday School (see Remarks); Guilds or other societies, shows $79.77; income from other sources, $4.50; total receipts for all purposes, $224.58; amount overdrawn, $50.29; total, $274.87.

Disbursements—For current expenses—Salary of rector, $227.50; ordinary repairs, $33.55; payment on debts contracted for current expenses, $1,36; other current expenses, $11.32; other objects, $2.50; total for current expenses, $274.87. *Contributions—For objects in the Parish*—Extraordinary repairs and improvements (see Remarks) $64.86; maintaining Sunday Schools, $5.90; total contributions for objects in the Parish, $70.76. *Contributions—For objects in the Diocese*—Diocesan missions, $2.00; Sheltering Arms Hospital, $2.50; total contributions for objects in the Diocese, $4.50.

Financial Summary—Current expenses raised by congregation as above, $276.23; contributions, for objects in the Parish, $70.76; total contributions, $70.76; all money raised by the congregation for current expenses and for contributions, $346.99; amount overdrawn, $50.29. This amount is due to St. Matthews.

Remarks—Missionary stipend, $50.00 paid direct to Mr. Warnock not included in this report.

Easter offerings and other collections not handled by the Treasurer spent as follows: Rectory repairs, $40.00; Chapel repairs, $24.86, paint, fence, gas fixtures and stoves.

Sunday School Treasurer reports receipts, $17.80; Sunday School expenses, $5.90; church expenses, $1.36; total, $7.26; balance in her hands, $10.54.

PAROCHIAL REPORT.

Rev. JOHN WARNOCK, address Charleston. St. Matthew's church; St. Matthew's Mission, Charleston, Kanawha county. Date of organization April, 1897. Present minister took charge May 1st, 1903.

Church Officers—Church Wardens, J. D. Lucadoe, Comyn Lewis; other Vestryman, Geo. Grishaber; Treasurer, Comyn Lewis, address Charleston; Superintendent of Sunday School, Miss Peyton, Charleston.

Official Acts—Baptisms, infants, 5; presented for confirmation since last report, 5; marriages, 2; burials, 3; catechisings, monthly; public services, Sundays, 40; other days, 41; total, 87; Holy Communion, public, 13.

Communicants—Number last reported, 42; admitted by confirmation, 3; total gain, 3; net gain, 3; present number total, 45.

Congregations—Baptized persons connected with Parish, 136; confirmed persons connected with Parish, 45; families, 25; number free sittings, 200.

Rector's Salary—As pledged from this congregation, $240.00; from diocesan missions, $50.00.

Organizations—Sunday Schools, officers and teachers, female, 3; total, 3; pupils, male, 10; female, 20; total, 30.

Property—Church, stone, insurance, $500.00; value, $5,000.00; chapel, St. Andrews, log, insurance, $300.00; value, $650.00; total value, $5,650.00; indebtedness, due on diocesan assessment for missions, $2.28; due on diocesan assessment for bishop's fund, $7.00; total indebtedness, $9.28.

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Receipts—For all Purposes—Cash on hand, per last report, $6.62; pledges and subscriptions, $165.28; collections in church, $43.59; Sunday School, see remarks; guilds or other societies, shows, etc., $90.83; sale of cemetery lot, $10.00; income from other sources, $4.60; total receipts for all purposes, $320.92.

Disbursements—For Current Expenses—Salary of rector, $240.00; insurance, $6.00; ordinary repairs, $3.50; other current expenses, $21.13; other objects, $5.86; total for current expenses, $276.49; *Contributions—for objects in the Parish*—Maintaining Sunday Schools, $7.54; total contributions for objects in the Parish, $7.54. *Contributions—For objects in the Diocese*—Diocesan missions (also see remarks, S. S., this not yet forwarded) $1.60; convocation missions, $5.72; total contributions for objects in the Diocese, $7,32. *Contributions—For objects without the Diocese*—Foreign missions general, $1.00; for China, $7.00; for Africa, $2.00; (not yet forwarded, see remarks for amount sent by Sunday School); total foreign missions, $10.00; total contributions for objects without the Diocese, $13.00.

Financial Summary—Current expenses raised by congregation as above, $276.49. *Contributions*—For objects in the Parish, $7.54; for objects in the Diocese, $732; for objects without the Diocese, $3.00; all money raised by the congregation for current expenses and for contributions, $324.35; cash in hand, $50.29. This $50.29 has been used by St. Luke's. We expect them to pay it back.

Remarks—Missionary stipend, $50.00, paid direct to Mr. Warnock, not included in this report. Sunday School treasurer reports receipts, $28.47; Sunday School expenses, $7.54; church expenses, $5.86; diocesan missions, $5.72; foreign missions, $7.00; total, $26.12; balance in her hands, $2.35.

PAROCHIAL REPORT.

Rev. JOHN WARNOCK, address 220 Randolph Street, Charleston, W. Va. St. Mark's Church, St. Albans, Kanawha county. Present minister took charge May 1, 1903.

Church Officers—Church Warden, E. W. Chandler; other vestrymen, A. W. Howard, Luke Frazier, T. H. Mohler, W. H. Barnett; Registrar, T. H. Mohler, address St. Albans; Treasurer, T. H. Mohler, address St. Albans, W. Va.; Superintendent of Sunday Schools, E. W. Chandler, St. Albans, W. Va.; Sunday School Secretary and Treasurer, T. H. Mohler.

Official Acts—Baptisms, infants, 1; presented for confirmation since last report, 2; burials, 2; catechisings, monthly; public services, Sundays, 36; other days, 12; total 48; Holy Communion, public, 12.

Communicants—Number last reported, about 26; admitted by confirmation, 2; added otherwise, 2; total gain, 4; died, 1; removed without letter, 1; lapsed, 5; total loss, 7; net loss, 3; present total about 35.

Congregations—Confirmed persons connected with Parish, 35; families, 20; number sittings in church, 220.

Rector's Salary—As pledged from this congregations, $200.00.

Organizations—Sunday Schools, officers and teachers, male, 2; female, 3; total, 5; pupils, male, 16; female, 18; total, 34; Advent offering, $5.00; Lenten offering, $10.64; total Sunday School offerings, $15.64.

Property—Church, brick, insurance, none; value, $2,000.00; rectory, frame, insurance, $1,000; value, $2,500.00; total value, $4,500.00; indebtedness, on church none; on rectory, $161.11; due the minister, nothing; total indebtedness, $161.11.

FINANCIAL REPORT.

Receipts—For all Purposes—Cash on hand, per last report, have no record; pledges and subscriptions, $181.90; collections in church, $45.81; money borrowed, $729.08; Sunday School, $49.39; total receipts for all purposes, $1,006.18.

Disbursements—For Current Expenses—Salary of rector, $200.00; total for current expenses, $200.00. *Contributions—For objects in the Parish*—Communion alms, $4.95; extraordinary repairs and improvements, $567.97; maintaining Sunday Schools, $54.44; rector's salary, $200.00; cash on hand, $17.71; amount due on loan, $161.11; total contributions for objects in the Parish, $1,006.18. *Contributions—For objects in the Diocese*—Salary of bishops, $16.68; permananent fund, $2.15; diocesan missions, $10.07; convocation missions, 60 cents; widows and orphans, aged and disabled clergy fund, 60 cents; religious and theological education, 50 cents; Sheltering Arms Hospital, $2.55; theological seminary, 30 cents; total contributions for objects in the Diocese, $33.45. *Contributions—For objects without the Diocese*—Domestic missions general, $1.50; colored people, 20 cents; In-

dians, 40 cents; deaf and dumb, 35 cents; total domestic missions, $2.45; foreign missions general, 20 cents; for Mexico, 60 cents; Brazil and Cuba, 35 cents; total foreign missions, $1.15; American church building fund, 35 cents; general clergy relief fund, 20 cents; Bible and prayer book society, 30 cents; total contributions for objects without the Diocese, $4.45.

Financial Summary—Current expenses raised by congregation as above, $200.00. *Contributions*—For objects in the Parish, $59.39; for objects in the Diocese, $33.45; for objects without the Diocese, $4.45; total of contributions, $97.29; all money raised by the congregation for current expenses and for contributions, $297.29.

Remarks—Having no record for previous year, and having been treasurer for only part of this year, have not kept my books to conform with the requirements of this blank. The amounts on receipts and disbursements are in accordance with my books, and correct.

THOS. H. MOHLER, *Treasurer.*

PAROCHIAL REPORT.

Rev. A. J. WILLIS, address Middleway, W. Va. Grace Church, Nelson Parish, Middleway, Jefferson county. Date of organization, 1888. Present minister took charge November 1, 1890.

Church Officers—Church Wardens, J. J. Grantham, Wm. Gilbert; other vestrymen, James Grantham, W. E. Bates; Registrar, James Grantham, address Middleway; Treasurer, James Grantham; Superintendent of Sunday Schools, Jane Doke; Sunday School Secretary and Treasurer, Mitchell Willis.

Official Acts—Baptisms, infants, 1; marriages, 2; burials, 1; public cervices, Sundays, 52; other days, 15; total, 67; Holy Communion, public, 12.

Communicants—Number last reported, 47; died, 1; lapsed, 2; total loss, 3; net loss, 3; present number total, 44.

Congregations—Baptized persons connected with Parish, 47; confirmed persons connected with Parish, 47; families, 22; individuals not thus included, 200; whole number of individuals, 250; number sittings in church, 200; number free sittings, 200.

Rector's Salary—As pledged from this congregation, $150.00; from diocesan missions, $50.00; as pledged from other congregations, $400.00; from convocation missions, $100.00; from American Church Missionary Society, $100.00; total, $800.00.

Organizations—Sunday Schools, officers and teachers, male, 3; female, 4; total, 7; pupils, male, 16; female, 20; total, 43; Advent offering, $4.27; Lenten offering, $3.52; other offerings, $5.00; total Sunday School offerings, $12.79; Rector's Aid, 10; Parish Guild, embracing the three churches in the Parish.

Property—Church, brick, insurance, $1,000; value, $2,500; rectory, frame and brick, insurance, $1,500; value, $2,000; lot belonging to the Parish, $350; total value, $4,850. money raised from outside sources, $284; for what objects used, repairs and improvements to the rectory.

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Receipts—For all Purposes—Cash on hand, per last report, $10.24; pledges and subscriptions, $150.00; collections in church, $128.40; Sunday School, $12.79; guilds or other societies, $20.00; total receipts for all purposes, $321.43.

Disbursements—For Current Expenses—Salary of rector, $150.00; other salaries, $30.00; insurance, $10.00; ordinary repairs, $10.00; other current expenses, $9.21; total for current expenses, $209.21. *Contributions—For objects in the Parish*—Maintaining Sunday Schools, $20.00; total contributions for objects in the Parish, $20.00. *Contributions—For objects in the Diocese*—Salary of Bishops, $37.00; permanent fund, $3.00; diocesan missions, $15.00; convocation missions, $8.07; widows and orphans, aged and disabled clergy fund, $2.77; Sheltering Arms Hospital, $7.00; total contributions for objects in the Diocese, $72.84. *Contributions—For objects without the Diocese*—Domestic missions general, $4.00; through American church missionary society, $4.38; total domestic missions, $8.38; foreign missions, general, $7.00; through American church missionary society, $4.00; total foreign missions, $11.00; total contributions for objects without the Diocese, $19.38.

Financial Summary—Current expenses raised by congregation as above, $209.21. *Contributions*—For objects in the Parish, $20.00; for objects in the Diocese, $72.84; for objects without the Diocese, $19.38; total of contributions, $112.22; all money raised by the congregation for current expenses and for contributions, $321.43.

PAROCHIAL REPORT.

Rev. A. J. WILLIS, address Middleway. St. Bartholomew's Church, Nelson Parish, Leetown, Jefferson county. Date of organization, 1888. Present minister took charge November 1, 1890.

Church Officers—Church Wardens, L. H. Strider, Chas. Jones; other vestrymen, Dr. Chas. Lucas; Registrar, L. H. Strider, address Leetown; treasurer, L. H. Strider; Superintendent of Sunday Schools, Robt. L. Strider.

Official Acts—Baptisms, 1; presented for confirmation since last report, 2; public services, Sundays, 36; other days, 8; total, 44; Holy Communion, public, 6.

Communicants—Number last reported, 40; admitted by confirmation,

1; total gain, 1; transferred, 2; removed without letter, 4; total loss, 6; net loss, 5; present number total, 35.

Congregations—Confirmed persons connected with Parish, 60; families, 13; individuals not thus included, 100; whole number of individuals, 200; number sittings in church, 200; number free sittings, 200.

Rector's Salary—As pledged from this congregation, $175.00; from diocesan missions, $50.00; as pledged from other congregations, $375; from convocation missions, $100; from American church missionary society, $100; total, $800.

Organizations—Sunday Schools, officers and teachers, male, 1; female, 5; total, 6; pupils, male, 10; female, 15; total, 25; Advent offering, $16.42; Lenten offering, $3.30; total Sunday School offerings, $19.72; Ladies' Aid; Parish Guild, embraces all of Nelson Parish.

Property—Church frame, insurance, $1,000; value, $1,800; total value, $2,800.

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Receipts—For all Purposes—Cash on hand, per last report, $7.36; pledges and subscriptions, $175.00; collections in church, $142.92; Sunday School, $19.72; Guilds, $10.00; total receipts for all purposes, $355.00.

Disbursements—For Current Expenses—Salary of rector, $175.00; other salaries, $18.00; ordinary repairs, $10.00; other current expenses, 54 cents; total for current expenses, $203.54. *Contributions—For objects in the Parish*—Extraordinary repairs and improvements, $7.50; maintaining Sunday Schools, $10.00; total contributions for objects in the Parish, $17.50. *Contributions—For objects in the Diocese*—Salary of bishops, $20.00; permanent fund, $6.00; diocesan missions, $31.42; convocation missions, $14.20; widows and orphans, aged and disabled clergy fund, $4.00; Sheltering Arms Hospital, $7.04; total contributions for objects in the Diocese, $92.71. *Contributions—For objects without the Diocese*—Domestic missions general, $5.50; through American church missionary society, $16.25; total domestic missions, $21.75; foreign missions general, $3.30; Brazil, $16.20; total foreign missions, $19.50; total contributions for objects without the Diocese, $41.25.

Financial Summary—Current expenses raised by congregation as above, $203.54. *Contributions*—For objects in the Parish, $17.50; for objects in the Diocese, $92.71; for objects without the Diocese, $41.25; total of contributions, $151.46; all money raised by the congregation for current expenses and for contributions, $355.00.

PAROCHIAL REPORT.

Rev. A. J. WILLIS, address Middleway. Church of the Holy Spirit,

Nelson Parish, Summit Pt., Jefferson county. Date of organization, 1888. Present minister took charge, November 1, 1890.

Church Officers—Church Warden, A. P. Thomas; other vestrymen, R. O. Allen, C. C. Whiting, U. H. Willis, Registrar, G. C. Whiting, address Summit Pt.; Treasurer, R. O. Allen, address Summit Pt.; Superintendent of Sunday Schools, G. C. Whiting; Sunday School Secretary and Treasurer, Preston Biller, Summit Pt.

Official Acts—Baptisms, infants, 1; presented for confirmation since last report, 1; marriage, 2; burials, 1; public services, Sundays, 52; other days, 8; total, 60; Holy Communion, public, 12.

Communicants—Number last reported, 46; admitted by confirmation, 1; restored to communion, 1; total gain, 2; transferred, 1; total loss, 1; net gain, 1; present number total, 47.

Congregations—Baptized persons connected with Parish, 86; confirmed persons connected with Parish, 47; families, 19; individuals not thus included, 100; whole number of individuals, 242; number sittings in church, 250; number free sittings, 250.

Rector's Salary—As pledged from this congregation, $225.00; from diocesan missions, $50.00; as pledged from other congregations, $325.00; from convocation missions, $100.00; from American church missionary society, $100.00; total, $800.00.

Organizations—Sunday Schools, officers and teachers, male, 2; female, 3; total, 5; pupils, male, 5; female, 10; total, 15; Lenten offering, $2.80: total Sunday School offerings, $2.80; Parish Guild.

Property—Church, stone, insurance, $2,000; value, $4,000; total value, $4,000.

FINANCIAL REPORT.

Receipts—For all Purposes—Pledges and subscriptions, $247.71; collections in church, $38.20; Sunday School, $2.80; Guilds, $10.00; income from other sources, $32.00; total receipts for all purposes, $330.71.

Disbursements—For Current Expenses—Salary of rector, $225.00; other salaries, $24.00; total for current expenses, $249.00. *Contributions—For objects in the Parish*—Maintaining Sunday Schools, $10.00; total contributions for objects in the Parish, $10.00. *Contributions for objects in the Diocese*—Salary of bishops, $30.00; permanent fund, $2.00; diocesan missions, $15.00; convocation missions, $9.18; total contributions for objects in the Diocese, $56.18. *Contributions—For objects without the Diocese*—Domestic missions general, $2.80; through American church missionary society, $5.23; total domestic missions, $8.03; foreign missions, general, $2.50; through American church missionary society, $5.00; total foreign missions, $7.50; total contributions for objects without the Diocese, $15.53.

Financial Summary—Current expenses raised by congregation as above, $249.00. *Contributions*—For objects in the Parish, $10.00; for objects in

the Diocese, $56.18; for objects without the Diocese, $15.53; total of contributions, $81.71; all money raised by the congregation for current expenses and for contributions, $330.71.

Remarks—This church was closed for three months on account of smallpox, hence contributions small.

PAROCHIAL REPORT.

Rev. ROBERT R. WINDLEY, address Grafton, W. Va. St. Mathias Parish, Grafton, Taylor county. Present minister took charge November 1, 1903.

Church Officers—Church Wardens, A. H. Thayer, M. D., Charles Steel; other vestry men, A. E. N. Means, C. W. Steel, George Lockyer, Sr., L. B. Brydon; Registrar, A. E. N. Means, address Grafton, W. Va.; Treasurer, C. W. Steel, address Grafton, W. Va.; Superintendent of Sunday Schools, Robt. R. Windley; Sunday School Secretary and Treasurer, Miss Roseline Kenedy.

Official Acts—Baptisms, infants, 6; adults, 2; total, 8; presented for confirmation since last report, 4; burials, 2; catechisings, 4; public services, Sundays, 30; other days, 14; total, 44; Holy Communion, public, 9; private, 3; total, 12.

Communicants—Number last reported, 30; admitted by confirmation, 4; total, gain, 4; died, 2; total loss, 2; net gain, 2; present number total, 32.

Congregations—Baptized persons connected with Parish, 42; individuals, not thus included, 21; number sittings in church, 125; number free sittings, 125.

Rector's Salary—As pledged from this congregation, $350.00; from diocesan missions, $300.00.

Organizations—Sunday Schools, officers and teachers, male, 2; female, 2; total, 4; pupils, male, 6; female, 18; total, 24; Advent offering, $3.72; Lenten offerings, $4.59; other offerings, $2.50; total Sunday School offerings, $10.81; Altar Guild, Ladies' Guild.

Property—Church, frame, value, $6,000; rectory, frame, value, $4,500.

FINANCIAL REPORT.

Receipts—For all Purposes—total receipts for all purposes $484.66.

Disbursements—For current expenses—Salary of rector, $177.00; other salaries, $12.00; ordinary repairs, $86.91; other current expenses, $56.35; total for current expenses, $332.26. *Contributions—For objects in the Parish*—Communion alms, $10.83; extraordinary repairs and improvements, $40.00; maintaining Sunday Schools, $29.00; other objects, $29.00; total contributions for objects in the Parish, $108.83. *Contributions—For objects in the Diocese*—Salary of bishops, $15.00; diocesan missions, $15.00; Shel-

tering Arms Hospital, $2.50; bishop's special fund, $5.66; total contributions for objects in the Diocese, $38.16. *Contributions—For objects without the Diocese*—Jews, 92 cents; total domestic missions, 92 cents; foreign missions general, $4.59; total foreign missions, $4.59; total contributions for objects without the Diocese, $5.51.

Financial Summary—Contributions—For objects in the Parish, $441.09; for objects in the Diocese, $38.16; for objects without the Diocese, $4.59; total of contributions, $483.84.

REPORT OF THE REV. B. M. SPURR.

My Dear Bishop:

You must forgive my tardiness in sending this report, but absence in searching for Philip Brittingham's body and bringing the same home, caused that delay and my failure to get to the Sheltering Arms.

In the past year our hospital cared for 565 patients, of which 270 were charity cases.

The cost of running the hospital for the year was $12,231.17, of which amount, $2,000 was spent for improvements. We graduated three nurses from our training school last December, who had the honor of receiving their diplomas at your hands. There are now ten under graduates in the school.

My work at the prison has been as usual, preaching, comforting, advising and preparing men for the scaffold.

I have preached in and out of the Diocese during the year, 187; baptisms, 10; burials, 9; marriages, 5; have found means for the expenses of the hospital, the building of a deaconess house and two industrial schools at Charles Town and Ansted. Provide also the means for supporting one deaconess and one teacher.

Have visited the following places in the Diocese, Mannington, (16 times) Montgomery, Paint Creek, Mount Carbon, Ansted, St. Andrews of the Mountain, (2) Charles Town, Ripley, Ravenswood, Little Otter, Sutton, Centralia, Richwood, Flatwood, Harper's Ferry.

Trusting that this report gives all the information you desire, permit me to remain,

Faithfully yours,

B. M. SPURR.

May 27. '04.

REPORT OF THE REV. OLIVER J. WHILDEN, MISSIONARY TO DEAF MUTES.

1017 W. Hopkins Avenue,
Baltimore, Md., June 10.

The Rt. Rev. G. W. Peterkin, D. D.,
Bishop of West Virginia.

My Dead Bishop:

I beg to report the following as missionary to the deaf in the Diocese of West Virginia:

I have held ten services during the year: four in Wheeling, two in Romney, one in Parkersburg, and three in Huntington. I baptized one adult deaf-mute in St. Matthew's Church, Wheeling, and four adults and one infant in Trinity Church, Huntington. I had presented for confirmation one in Wheeling and six in Huntington.

The receipts from all sources were as follows:

1903.

Aug.	31	Mrs. G. W. Steenrod, Wheeling	$ 5 00
Sept.	4	E. M. Hoge, Wheeling	5 00
	27	Rev. D. W. Howard, Wheeling	5 00
	27	Offering at service, Wheeling	10 10
Nov.	11	Offering at service, Wheeling	7 47
	13	Offering at service, Parkersburg	50
	14	Offering at service, Huntington,	5 00
Dec.	1	Good Shepherd, Parkersburg, through Bp. P	10 00
Jan.	10	School for the deaf, Romney	10 00
Mch.	11	Rev. Mr. Howard, $5.00; offering at service, $1.87	6 87
	13	Offering at service, Huntington	4 11
May	10	School for the deaf, Romney	12 00
	13	Offering at service, Wheeling	6 00
	15	Offering at service, Huntington	1 45
			$78 50

My expenses—railroad fares, hotel bills, postage, etc., probably amounted to a little less than the above sum.

I think this is the best report of work done in any one of the other Dioceses—*ten* services, *six* baptisms, and *seven* confirmations.

The Diocese of Southern Virginia has appropriated $150 annually towards the work, Virginia gives $50, Tennessee $50 and Mississippi $50. I am waiting to hear from a few others. I hope West Virvinia may soon bein a position to allow something—the possibilities for doing good work in West Virginia are great, greater, perhaps, than in those Dioceses that allow a stipend.

I am very sorry to have to report the death of Mrs. Elizabeth Steenrod, a sainted deaf-mute woman of St. Matthew's mission, Wheeling. Mrs. Steen-

rod was very helpful and gave bountifully towards the support of the work. Her loss will be very seriously felt in the matter of support; her influence for good was so great among the half a hundred deaf-mutes I almost despair for the future. But I am hopeful that the good she did will help as a precious memory.

Very sincerely yours,

OLIVER J. WHILDEN.

General Missionary to the Deaf.

APPENDIX C.

Report of Committee on Assessments for the Year, May 1st, 1904, to April 30th, 1905.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON ASSESSMENTS, AT MARTINSBURG, JUNE 3, 1904.

Name of Parish.	*Diocesan Miss.*	*Epis. & Cont. Fund.*
Alderson	$ 6 00	$ 6 00
Berkley Springs	25 00	30 00
Bluefield	30 00	30 00
Princeton	6 00	6 00
Bramwell	30 00	30 00
Eckman and McDowell Missions	20 00	20 00
Brooke County, St. John's	5 00	5 00
Buckhannon	10 00	10 00
Bunker Hill	5 00	5 00
Charleston, St. oJhn's	200 00	275 00
Charleston, St. Luke's	8 00	7 00
Charleston, St. Matthew's	8 00	7 00
Charles Town, Zion	300 00	425 00
Charles Town, St. Phillip's	10 00	5 00
St. Andrew's on the Mountain	3 00	2 00
Clarksburg	125 00	125 00
Cresaps	5 00	5 00
Davis	8 00	8 00
Elkins Mission	10 00	10 00
Fairmont	75 00	100 00
Grafton	15 00	15 00
Harper's Ferry	20 00	20 00
Hedgesville	25 00	50 00
Hinton	30 00	20 00
Huntington	80 00	100 00
Kenova	7 00	7 00
Lewisburg	7 00	10 00
Ronceverte	8 00	8 00
Martinsburg	75 00	100 00
Nelson Parish { Middleway, Lee Town, Summit Point }	75 00	90 00
Mannington	10 00	10 00

Name of Parish	*Diocesan Miss.*	*Epis. & Cont. Fund.*
Moorefield	20 00	20 00
Romney	16 00	16 00
Okonoko	10 00	10 00
Morgantown	50 00	50 00
Moundsville	40 00	60 00
Nuttallburg	5 00	10 00
Parkersburg, Trinity	350 00	525 00
Parkersburg, Good Shepherd	20 00	5 00
Parkersburg, St. Stephen	3 00	2 00
Tavennersville	10 00	3 00
Point Pleasant, Christ	50 00	50 00
Bruce Chapel	12 00	12 00
Spillman Mission	10 00	10 00
Powellton	20 00	20 00
Ansted	20 00	20 00
Ravenswood, Grace	10 00	10 00
Ripley, St. John's	15 00	15 00
Liverpool, Whittle	3 00	2 00
Ripon	10 00	20 00
Shepherdstown	75 00	75 00
Sistersville	40 00	40 00
New Martinsville	40 00	40 00
Smithfield, Wetzel County	5 00	5 00
Spruce Chapel	4 00	4 00
St. Albans	10 00	10 00
Montgomery	15 00	15 00
St. Mary's	15 00	15 00
Sutton	10 00	10 00
Union	50 00	50 00
White Sulphur	10 00	10 00
Fort Spring	5 00	5 00
Waverly	10 00	5 00
Wellsburg	25 00	25 00
Weston	75 00	80 00
Wheeling, St. Matthew's	425 00	600 00
Wheeling, St. Luke's	175 00	175 00
Wheeling, St. Andrew's	15 00	10 00
Chester	10 00	4 00
Williamson	.....	5 00
Wheeling, St. Paul's, Elm Grove	5 00	10 00
Williamstown	25 00	15 00
Willow Island	5 00	5 00
Beckley	6 00	6 00

Name of Parish	*Diocesan Miss.*	*Epis. & Cont. Fund.*
Beury	5 00	5 00
Du Bree	5 00	5 00
Glen Jean	10 00	10 00
Immanuel, Mt. Carbon	5 00	5 00
Totals	$3,005 00	$3,665 00

Your committee recommends that payments on account of the assessment for the Episcopal and Contingent Fund be made to the Treasurer quarterly.

D. W. HOWARD.
S. S. MOORE.
J. S. GIBSON.
J. S. DOUGLAS.
A. G. GRINNAN.
G. W. EASTER.
R. M. BROWNE.
J. GASSMAN.
RICHARD HENDERSON.
L. E. SANDS.
G. A. ASCHMAN.

APPENDIX D.

Tabulated Statement—Vital Statistics.

Tabulated Statement—Financial Statistics.

TABULATED STATEMENT—VITAL STATISTICS.

No.	ALPHABETICAL CLERGY LIST.	PARISHES, MISSIONS AND STATIONS.	Baptisms.		Confirmations.	Marriages.	Burials.	Communicants.		Baptized Persons.	Families and Parts.	Number in Sunday Schools.	
			Infants.	Adults.				Last Reported.	Present Number.			Teachers	Scholars
1	REV. JOHN S. ALFRIEND	Zion Church, Charles Town	8	2	9	3	12	326	333	450	160	16	100
		St. Andrews, Blue Ridge	3		1	2	1	28	29	40	25	7	70
		..., Harewood										5	40
2	REV. M. F. DUTY, ASST	St. Philips, Charles Town	1	1			1	50	23	75	17	5	39
3	REV. JACOB BRITTINGHAM	St. Lukes, Wheeling	17	2	13	5	17	266	260	281	202	10	80
4	REV. EVERHARD HEATH BROSIUS	Christ Church, Bluefield	5		2	2	3	91	106	181	83	4	29
		Heavenly Rest, Princeton				2		18	18	20	10		
5	REV. CHAS. MITCHELL CAMPBELL	Christ Church, Short Creek						2	2	8	9		
		St. Paul's Mission, Bull Creek						4	4	10	4		
		Emmanuel Mission, Mouth of Robinson						4	4	7	10		
6	REV. WILSON PAGE CHRISMAN	Trinity, Moundsville	3	2	2	3	5	55	64	153	84	12	109
7	REV. GUY HAMILTON CROOK	*Incarnation, Ronceverte						21	21	38	15	2	24
		*St. James, Lewisburg						24	24	42	17		
		*Holy Comfort, Fort Spring						8	8	11	9		
		*Grace, Clover Lick						4	4	10	3		
		*Hillsboro						3	3	10	4		
		*St. Thomas, White Sulphur						41	41	75	92		96
8	REV. THOS. J. OLIVER CURRAN	St. Andrews, Wheeling	14	5		12	6	76	75	200	40	6	130
9	REV. JOHN SMALLWOOD DOUGLAS	Trinity, Martinsburg	11		31	2	5	152	165	280	100	15	90
		Christ Church, Bunker Hill						7	8	15	4		
10	REV. CREETUS A. DOWELL	St. Pauls, Sistersville	5	8	10	4	3	32	41	64	21	11	98
11	REV. GEO. W. EASTER	All Saints, Union	3			2	1	40	35	78	23	3	44
		Messiah, Alderson						5	4	5	3		
12	REV. JAS. LOGAN FISH	St. Barnabas, Davis	10	4	6	3	2	24	37	62	26	4	25
		..., Parsons						6	6	6	2		
		..., Thomas	1						6	15			

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No.	ALPHABETICAL CLERGY LIST.	PARISHES, MISSIONS AND STATIONS.	Baptisms.		Confirmations.	Marriages.	Burials.	Communicants.		Baptized Persons.	Families and Parts.	Number in Sunday Schools.	
			Infants.	Adults.				Last Reported.	Present Number			Teachers	Scholars
	REV. JAS. LOGAN FISH	....., Douglas							5	11	3		
13	REV. GEO. A. GIBBONS	St. Stephens, Romney	2			3		25	21	40	20	4	16
		Emmanuel, Moorefield	3					30	30	55	24	5	20
		Epiphany, Okonoko						10	10	16	4		
		New Creek Mission, Keyser						6	6	6	2		
		Paw Paw Mission, Paw Paw						6	6	6	5		
14	REV. J. HOWARD GIBBONS	Christ Church, Pt. Pleasant	4	1	4	3	3	58	62	90	35	4	25
		Bruce Chapel	1	1	5			21	26	60	15	3	35
		.....Spillman	4	1	5		1	19	23	40	15	3	32
		.....Winfield		1	2				3				
15	REV. JOHN SHACKELFORD GIBSON	Trinity, Huntington	5	6	11	4	36	192	200	420	145	11	80
		Grace, Kenova			2			8	8	22	9		
		Mingo Mission, Williamson	2		3			6	11	28	13	4	15
16	REV. ANDREW GLASSELL GRINNAN	St. Paul's, Weston	6			1	13	81	75	210	81	7	57
		St. Paul's Chapel	1	2	4			9	13	20	7	3	30
17	REV. JACOB A. HIATT	Ascension, Hinton		1				46	49	81	138	4	40
		St. Peter's, Glen Jean						20	15				
		*....., Beckley						17	17	20	18		
		*....., Beury						2	2	2	2		
18	REV. DAVID W. HOWARD	St. Matthew's, Wheeling	16	8	30	27	16	537	550	870	304	13	135
19	REV. EDWARD D. IRVINE	Christ Church, Wellsburg	2	2	4	9	2	58	55	75	25	5	30
		St. John's, Brooke county	8		4		1	22	25	35	8		
20	REV. ARTHUR MACHEN LEWIS	St. David's, Powellton	5	5	8		4	27	34	60	15	6	57
		Calvary, Montgomery	7		1	1	1	17	19	34	8	1	15
		Redeemer, Ansted	5	2	3	1	1	37	36	75	13	6	60
		St. Titus', Nuttalburg	8		3				15	27			
		Good Shepherd, Ferris	1		2				4	8			
		Emmanuel, Mt. Carbon							10	25			

21	REV. JOHN TILTON MARLEY	Trinity, Morgantown	5	4	9		3	91	86	112	50	5	40
		, Kingwood						1	1	2	1		
22	REV. C. E. A. MARSHALL	Trinity, Shepherdstown; Good Shepherd, Duffield		1	1	1	6	144	150	272	50	11	48
23	REV. FRANK A. MEADE	Grace Church, Elkins	1	1	2	1	3	30	35	72	22	4	20
		Trinity, Belington						10	10	25			
24	REV. ROBT. NELSON MEADE	Holy Trinity, Bramwell	1			2	6	37	21	54	20	5	50
		Grace, Eckman	1			2		22	13	24	10		
		St. Antipas, Welch				1		15	15	32	19		
		Algoma Mission; Mayberry "; Elkhorn "; Crane Creek "	1				2	27	38	82	42		
25	REV. A. B. MITCHELL	Good Shepherd, Parkersburg	4	2	3		2	9	15	25	38	12	185
		Grace, Tavenersville						10	10	20	28	5	30
		Christ Memorial, Williamstown	1		1			29	27	62	40	6	22
26	REV. FRANCIS VAN R. MOORE	St. Paul's, Elm Grove	6	3	7			20	27	30	20	8	74
		*New Cumberland						4	4	12	4		
		*Chester						20	20	25	10		
27	REV. S. SCOLLAY MOORE, D. D.	Trinity, Parkersburg	16	12	20	32	26	298	308	525	250	14	101
		St. Stephen's Mission, Parkersburg				2	1	12	8	12	6		
28	REV. CHARLES C. PEARSON	St. Mark's, Berkeley Springs			1	2	2	25	23	30	13	4	17
29	RT. REV. CHAS. CLIFTON PENICK, D. D	Christ Church, Fairmont	2		2	1	9	136	124	144	148	8	47
30	REV. JAMES FITTS PLUMMER	Christ Church, Clarksburg	4			1		156	106	250	92	5	48
		St. Thomas, North View										4	25
31	REV. ROBT. DOUGLAS ROLLER, D. D. C. HELY MOLONEY, Assistant	St. John's, Charleston	13	3	21	8	34	267	310	577	200	13	130
		Carbon										2	15
		Pratt, Paint Creek and Crown Hill										2	106
		Dundon											
32	REV. CHARLES E. SHAW	St. Ann, New Martinsville	5		9	1	1	36	50	94	33	6	24
		*Smithfield						7	7	7			
33	REV. GEORGE C. SHAW	Grace, St. Mary's		2	1	1		28	29	30	20	7	32
		St. John's, Willow Island			1			10	11	18	16		
		Messiah, Waverly		1	1			10	10	14	25	5	37
		St. Andrew's, Mannington	3					21	24	44	36		
34	REV. EDWIN B. SNEAD	Transfiguration, Buckhannon			4	1	1	19	25	28	8		
		St. John's, Sutton						12	10	25	11		

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		Spruce Church, Spruce Run	2		1			10	11	21	6	3	15
35	REV. PARIS BECKER STAUFFER	St. John's Harper's Ferry					1	32	31	45	16	6	70
		Mt. Zion, Hedgesville	6					65	65	71	37	10	45
37	REV. ROBT. RAYMOND WINDLEY	St. Matthias, Grafton	6	2	4		2	30	32	42	21	4	24
		*Cairo						10	10	10			
36	REV. JOHN WARNOCK	St. Luke's, Charleston	5			4		24	27	64	16	5	47
		St. Matthew's, Charleston	5		5	2	3	42	45	136	25	3	30
		St. Mark's, St. Albans	1		2		2	26	35	40	20	5	34
37	REV. A. J. WILLIS	Grace, Middleway	1			2	1	47	44	47	222	7	43
		St. Bartholomew's, Leetown		1	2			40	35	60	113	6	25
		Holy Spirit, Summit Point	1		1	2	1	46	47	86	119	5	15
38	REV. ORVILLE MELVILLE YERGER	*St. John's, Ripon						28	28	65	25	2	27
		*Christ Church, Blue Ridge						6	6	20	7	4	46
	VACANT	Grace, Ravenswood						20	20	40	39		
		St. John's, Ripley					1	37	36	48	15		
		*Whittle Chapel, Liverpool						9	9	30	20		
		Church of Our Savior, Mason City					1	14	14	16	5		
		*Spencer						7	7	12	4		
		Buffalo and Poca						4	4	4	2		
		St. John's, Scary						3	3	3	2		
		Pennsboro Mission						5	5	14	3		
		*Dubrea						14	14	14	6		
		*Keeney's Mountain						8	8	8	3		
		*Grace, Cresaps Valley						9	9	18	7		
	Scattered Communicants not connected with any par sh							88	129				
	TOTALS		251	86	263	159	242	4671	4842	8033	3817	365	3093

*Taken from last year's report.

NOTE.—The Bishop reports 307 from Council to Council. The discrepancy is due to the fact that the parochial reports closed Apr. 30.

TABULATED STATEMENT—FINANCIAL STATISTICS.

No.	ALPHABETICAL CLERGY LIST.	PARISHES, MISSIONS AND STATIONS.	DISBURSEMENTS. Current Expenses.	Contributions. Parochial.	Contributions. Diocesan.	Contributions. Outside the Diocese.	Grand Total.
1	REV. JOHN S. ALFRIEND	Zion Church, Charles Town	$ 2,149 31	$ 1,618.82	$ 1,340.92	$ 852.98	$ 5,962.03
		St. Andrew's, Blue Ridge	...	5.00	15.00	...	20.00
		Harwood	...	...	10.00	...	10.00
2	REV. M. F. DUTY, ASST.	St. Phillips, Charles Town	165.28	...	11.00	21.70	197.98
3	REV. JACOB BRITTINGHAM	St. Luke's Wheeling	2,580.88	1,026.51	537.15	313.14	4,457.68
4	REV. EVERHARD HEATH BROSIUS	Christ Church, Bluefield	664.92	586 72	86.95	32.05	1,370.64
		Heavenly Rest, Princeton	48.25	...	20.00	...	68.25
5	REV. CHAS. MITCHELL CAMPBELL	Christ Church, Short Creek	...	...	4.30	1.00	530.00
		St. Paul's Mission, Bull Creek	...	...	...	...	...
		Emmanuel Mission, Mouth of Robinson	...	...	...	...	...
6	REV. WILSON PAGE CHRISMAN	Trinity, Moundsville	1,904.52	76.59	170.45	120.60	2,272 16
7	REV. GUY HAMILTON CROOK	Incarnation, Ronceverte	...	...	...	...	...
		St. James, Lewisburg	...	...	...	...	...
		Holy Comforter, Fort Spring	...	...	...	...	...
		Grace, Clover Lick	...	...	...	...	...
		Hillsboro	...	...	...	...	...
		St. Thomas, White Sulphur	...	...	...	...	...
8	REV. THOS. J. OLIVER CURRAN	St. Andrew's, Wheeling	582.26	480.40	57.92	28.00	1,148.58
9	REV. JOHN SMALLWOOD DOUGLAS	Trinity, Martinsburg	1,574.99	534.31	384.55	308.45	2,802.30
		Christ Church, Bunker Hill	3.97	...	2.16	1.44	7.57
10	REV. CREETUS A. DOWELL	St. Paul's, Sistersville	1,216.32	388.12	172.29	58.20	1,834.93
11	REV. GEO. W. EASTER	All Saints, Union	557.94	96.04	210.26	106.08	970.32
		Messiah, Alderson	12 20	...	7.54	3.49	23.23
12	REV. JAS. LOGAN FISH	St. Barnabas, Davis	376 64	235.90	20.00	10.00	642.54
		Parsons	...	...	...	...	...
		Thomas	7.00	...	...	...	7.00

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	REV. JAS. LOGAN FISH	Douglas	25.00				25 00
13	REV. GEORGE A. GIBBONS	St. Stephens, Romney	168 20	46.97	36.75	26.34	278.26
		Emmanuel, Moorefield	237.00	33.00	55.32	20.00	345.32
		Ephiphany, Okonoko	42.00	2.00	25.50	6.00	75.50
		New Creek Mission, Keyser					
		Paw Paw Mission, Paw Paw	40.50		7.00	5.30	52.80
14	REV. J. HOWARD GIBBONS	Christ Church, Point Pleasant	430.72	268.68	162.60	73.70	935.70
		Bruce Chapel	150.00	12.75	27.25	15.00	205.00
		Spillman	58.25	43.56	27.64	19.17	148.62
		Winfield			8.00	1.00	9.00
15	REV. JOHN SHACKELFORD GIBSON	Trinity, Huntington	2,195.00	945.00	416.70	197.81	3,754.51
		Grrce, Kenova	170.20	61.64	19.38	4.76	255.98
		Mingo Mission, Williamson	109.55		5.22	4.71	119.48
16	REV. ANDREW GLASSELL GRINNAN	St. Paul's, Weston	962.02	205.40	269.14	79.60	1,516.16
		St. Paul's Chapel	41.05	90.73	3.70	3.00	138.48
17	REV. JACOB A. HIATT	Ascension, Hinton	408.13	328.50	44.45		781.08
		St. Peter's, Glen Jean	233.00				233.00
		, Beckley					
		, Beury					
18	REV. DAVID W. HOWARD	St. Matthew's, Wheeling	9,011.21	1,283.38	1,871.36	746.81	12,912.76
19	REV. EDWARD D. IRVINE	Christ Church, Wel'sburg	523.97	352.35	100.66	33.66	1,010.64
		St. John's, Brooke county	72.42	366.50	7.00		445.92
20	REV. ARTHUR MACHEN LEWIS	St. David's, Powellton	501.34	243.85	122.30	30.86	898.35
		Calvary, Montgomery	244.58	17.92	37.60	16.35	316.45
		Redeemer, Ansted	235.15	97.97	83.25	16.69	433.06
		St. Titus', Nuttalburg	49.05		10.00		59.05
		Good Shepherd, Ferris	20.00			7.18	27.18
		Emmanuel, Mt. Carbon	65.50		12.54	2.25	80.29

21	REV. JOHN TILTON MARLEY	Trinity, Morgantown	1,400.92	57.40	87.13	36.31	1,581.76
		....., Kingwood	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
22	REV. C. E. A. MARSHALL	Trinity, Shepherdstown / Good Shepherd, Duffie'd	819.77	38.21	231.28	185.03	1,274.29
23	REV. FRANK A. MEADE	Grace Church, Elkins	277.74	172.51	25.25	2.50	478.00
		Trinity, Belington	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
24	REV. ROBT. NELSON MEADE	Holy Trinity, Bramwell	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
		Grace, Eckman	76.59	30.00	27.43	30.04	164.06
		St. Antipas, Welch	56.92	379.99	26.57	2.40	465.88
		Algoma Mission / Mayberry " / Elkhorn " / Crane Creek "	39.00	.....	1.00	.....	40.00
25	REV. A. B. MITCHELL	Good Shepherd, Parkersburg	352.23	502.57	592.39	611 51	2,058.61
		Grace, Tavenersville	55.00	15.50	29.32	8 67	108.49
		Christ Memorial, Williamstown	146.30	352.78	42.15	19.43	560.66
26	REV. FRANCIS VAN R. MOORE	St. Paul's, Elm Grove	230.85	.....	24.54	20,59	275.98
		New Cumberland	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
		Chester	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
27	REV. S. SCOLLAY MOORE, D. D.	Trinity, Parkersburg	3,692.44	409 88	4,795.32	619.21	9,516.85
		St. Stephen's Mission, Parkersburg	69.08	34.02	1.00	1.00	105.10
28	REV. CHARLES C. PEARSON	St. Marks, Berkeley Springs	423.95	3.07	68.91	40.00	535.93
29	RT. REV. CHAS. CLIFTON PENICK, D. D.	Christ Church, Fairmont	397.23	60.00	350.00	730.67	1,537.90
30	REV. JAMES FITTS PLUMMER	Christ Church, Clarksburg	631.61	890.00	449.88	83.03	2,054.52
		St. Thomas, North View	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
31	REV. ROBT. DOUGLAS ROLLER, D D. / C. HELY MOLONEY, Assistant	St. John's, Charleston	2,673.66	1,024 46	693.68	118.55	4,510.35
		Carbon	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
		Pratt, Paint Creek and Crown Hill	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
		Dundon	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
32	REV. CHARLES E. SHAW	St. Ann, New Martinsville	1,063.55	1,136.40	122.66	49.77	2,372.38
		Smithfield	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
33	REV. GEORGE C. SHAW	Grace, St. Mary's	485.00	144.00	30.00	.....	659.00
		St. John, Willow Island	66.00	.....	30.00	3.00	99.00
		Messiah, Waverly	85.00	51.00	18.10	6.15	160.35
		St. Andrew's, Mannington	112.00	1,381.00	3.00	1.00	1 497.00
34	REV. EDWIN B. SNEAD	Transfiguration, Buckhannon	398.26	13.00	25.00	10.00	446.26
		St. John's, Sutton	22.78	.....	.....	.....	22.78
		Spruce Church, Spruce Run	35.00	.....	4.00	2.00	41.00

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35	REV. PARIS BECKER STAUFFER	St. John's, Harper's Ferry	220.19	247.06	75.02	39.50	581.77
		Mt. Zion, Hedgesville	213.16	10.06	89.50	30.51	343.23
37	REV. ROBT. RAYMOND WINDLEY	St. Matthias, Grafton	332.26	108.83	38.16	5.51	484.76
		*Cairo					
36	REV. JOHN WARNOCK	St. Luke's, Charleston	276.23	70.76			346.99
		St. Matthew's Charleston	276.49	7.54	7.32	13.00	304.35
		St. Mark's, St Albans	200.00	59.39	33.45	4.45	297.29
37	REV. A. J. WILLIS	Grace, Middleway	209.21	20.00	72 84	19.38	321.43
		St. Bartholomew's, Leetown	203.54	17.50	92.71	41.25	355.00
		Holy Spirit, Summit Point	249 00	10.00	56.18	15.53	330.71
38	REV. ORVILLE MELVILLE YEAGER	St. John's, Ripon					
		Christ Church, Blue Ridge					
	VACANT	Grace, Ravenswood	135.00		19.50		154.50
		St. John's, Ripley	96.85		15.00		111.85
		Whittle Chapel, Liverpool					
		Church of Our Savior, Mason City			3.10		3.10
		*Spencer					
		Buffalo and Poca					
		St. John's, Scary					
		Pennsboro Mission					
		Dubrea					
		Keeney's Mountain					
		Grace, Cresaps Valley					
	Scattered Communicants not connected with any parish						
	TOTALS		$ 43,861.13	$ 16,695.64	$ 14,584.15	$ 5,917.31	$ 81,058.23

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